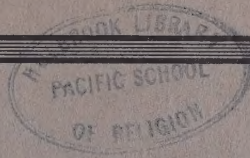


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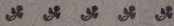
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Bishop Wilbur E. Hammaker

Nine years ago Bishop Wilbur E. Hammaker was assigned to be Resident Bishop of the Denver area. From the outset, his sincerity, forthrightness, sound judgment and pleasant spirit opened the doors of our hearts and we enthroned him within. We found him just but kindly, appreciative but keenly discriminating, clear-seeing and unswerving in devotion to the work of the Kingdom. For nine years his brotherly greetings have warmed our hearts; his judgments have both guided us and inspired faith and hope; his wisdom, gained through long experience not only in triumphant pastorates but in walking a "Via Dolorosa" such as few men know, has enriched the lives of us all. Now, he leaves us, having reached the age of obligatory retirement. We shall count it one of the great blessings of life to have known and loved him.

GRATEFULLY

We Dedicate this Conference Journal
to
OUR BISHOP

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1. Officers of the Conference

(a.) Of the Annual Conference

PRESIDENT

Bishop Wilbur E. Hammaker, 317 Trinity Building, Denver 2.

CONFERENCE LAY LEADERS

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L. George Pimlott, William C. Tremmel, J. Graydon Wilson,
Harold I. Woolard.

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Mrs. Burke R. Lawton, I. O. Tweedy.

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Albert Scarffe, Joe Uemura, William J. Willcox.

POSTMASTER

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Denver-Grand Junction: James W. Barrett, 4890 S. Broadway, Englewood.

Greeley District: R. B. Spencer, Fort Morgan.

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Springfield, Colo.; R. S. Doenges, Colorado Springs, Colo.;

Donald Fox, Pueblo, Colo.; Geo. Strain, La Junta, Colo.

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Clarence Snyder, Delta, Colo.; Rex Scott, Grand Junction, Colo.;

W. L. Woodbury, Durango, Colo.

Greeley District: Earl Hedrick, Wray, Colo.; Walter I. Hammond, Burlington,

Colo.; Ivan Eicher, Holyoke, Colo.; H. Vance Austin, Sterling, Colo.;

John Allardice, Boulder, Colo.; Claude Luekens, Steamboat Springs, Colo.;

John H. Cuykendall, Roggen, Colo.

(c.) Of the Woman's Society of Christian Service

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Mrs. Edward R. Bartlett, 2100 S. Josephine, Denver 10, Vice President.

Mrs. Carrie Tweeddale, 773 S. Emerson, Denver 9, Recording Secretary.

Mrs. W. S. Gifford, 2647 Race Street, Denver 5, Promotion Secretary.

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Education and Missionary Service.

Mrs. Oscar Low, 748 S. Ogden, Denver, Vice President Christian Social Rela-
tions and Local Church Activities.

II. BOARDS, COMMISSIONS AND COMMITTEES

(a.) Boards

I. INTERCHURCH TEMPERANCE MOVEMENT OF COLORADO

The Resident Bishop, R. C. Baker, R. O. Gilpin, John L. Spargo, George Hetherington, 627 Downing, Denver.

II. CONFERENCE CLAIMANTS

(Par. 1613, Sec.2)

John C. Kuykendall (Roggen), L. M. Gjerde (2530 Albion, Denver), R. L. Henry, Roland Hill, H. E. Popham (Equitable Bldg., Denver), G. S. Upton, through 1949.

Murray Beattie, R. T. Burdick (Fort Collins), L. G. Dawson, R. W. Drummond, Donald Fox (Box 464, Pueblo), Ivan P. Ruff (Boulder), through 1950.

W. R. Burnett, H. P. Childress, Lester W. Edgett, H. M. Merkel, Dr. G. W. Stiles (725 Newport, Denver), Mrs. J. W. Edgar (Fleming), through 1951.

III. CONFERENCE RELATIONS

(Par. 641)

H. H. Baker, Benjamin Eitelgeorge, A. C. Hoover, Samuel W. Marble, through 1949.

M. L. Jackson, Cecil P. Simpson, C. O. Thibodeau, Henry L. Weiss, through 1950.

Walter G. Williams, T. B. McDivitt, Paul A. Shields, Leon H. Sweetland, through 1951.

IV. BOARD OF EDUCATION (Q)

(Par. 1443)

C. E. Albertson, Rufus C. Baker, Warren S. Bainbridge, Edward R. Bartlett, Murray B. Beattie, George Berry, L. E. Bean (Alamosa), James H. Buchanan (Boulder), H. A. Critchett, Mrs. C. E. Carver (Loveland), Benjamin Eitelgeorge, Ivan Eicher (Holyoke), David E. Flatt (Paonia), Donald Fox (P. O. Box 464, Pueblo), Harold M. Gilmore, R. O. Gilpin, Louis A. Haruf, Clare J. Hayes, Homer Knapp (Rocky Ford), John Krill (Longmont), Mrs. C. A. Latimer (1003 Main, Grand Junction), T. B. McDivitt, Harvey Potthoff, E. L. Peacock (Fort Collins), P. L. Robison, J. H. Wubben, Kenneth H. Sausaman, Cecil P. Simpson, John L. Spargo, Walter E. Sikes, Joe Uemura (100 Trinity Bldg.), Henry L. Weiss, Richard E. West, Mrs. Roy Young (Salida), A. F. Zimmerman (Greeley), Guy Fox (4680 Balsam, Wheat Ridge), Lyle Burt (1314 Wellington, Grand Junction), Glen Hamyl (1915 So. Lincoln, Denver). Two youths chosen by Conference Youth Organization; one young person chosen by the Conference Board of Education.

V. DISTRICT DIRECTORS OF CHILDREN'S WORK

(Par. 1448)

Conference Director: Mrs. C. E. Carver, Loveland, Colo.

Colorado Springs-Pueblo District:

Miss Helen Howerton, Canon City, Colo.

Denver-Grand Junction District:

Denver Section—Mrs. R. C. Baker, 375 Colorado Blvd., Denver 7, Colo.

Grand Junction Section—Mrs. David Anderson, Eagle, Colo.

Greeley District:

Northeast Section—Mrs. C. E. Glacken, Sterling, Colo.

Foothills Section—Mrs. Bertha Gagos, Boulder, Colo.

VI. DISTRICT DIRECTORS OF YOUTH WORK

(Par. 1448)

Conference Director: Rev. Richard Palmer, 2134 So. Pearl, Denver 10, Colo.

Colorado Springs-Pueblo District:

Rev. Franklin McDaniels, Rocky Ford, Colo.

Denver-Grand Junction District:

Denver Section—Rev. Joe Uemura, Room 100 Trinity Bldg., Denver 2, Colo.

Grand Junction Section—Rev. Willis Phelps, Paonia, Colo.

Greeley District:

Northeast Section—Rev. Louis A. Haruf, Holyoke, Colo.

Foothills Section—Rev. Vernon Hanks, Windsor, Colo.

VII. DISTRICT DIRECTORS OF ADULT WORK

(Par. 1448)

(Conference Director: Rev. Hershal Bauer, Julesburg, Colo.)

Colorado Springs-Pueblo District:

Rev. Kenneth Smith, 210 Cheyenne, Colorado Springs, Colo.

Denver-Grand Junction District:

Denver Section—Mr. Ward Kimball, 1324 Ogden, Denver, Colo.

Grand Junction Section—Mr. Dave Flatt, Paonia, Colo.

Greeley District:

Northeast Section—Rev. K. Orlando Lee, Wray, Colo.

Foothills Section—Rev. O. Franklin Archer, Fort Lupton, Colo.

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San Luis Valley—Rev. Clare Hayes, Alamosa, Colo.

Durango Sub-District—Rev. Homer Root, Durango, Colo.

Steamboat Springs Section—Rev. Alfred Carlyon, Steamboat Springs, Colo.

Burlington Section—Rev. Henry Beatty, Burlington, Colo.

VIII. JURISDICTIONAL BOARD OF EDUCATION (Q)

Kenneth H. Sausaman, Walter E. Sikes, Joe Uemura (100 Trinity Bldg.)

IX. BOARD OF MINISTERIAL TRAINING AND QUALIFICATIONS

(Par. 1386, Appointed by the Bishop)

Harvey H. Potthoff, Chairman; George E. Berry, W. R. Burnett, Alfred C. Carlyon, Ben H. Christner, O. C. Domer, L. C. Dryden, Samuel L. Maxwell, Alexander Bryans, J. Richard Palmer, K. H. Sausaman, Allan K. Williams, R. J. Wilson, A. P. Gaines, Paul Habliston, Lowell W. Swan.

X. MISSIONS AND CHURCH EXTENSION (Q)

(Par. 1282)

L. A. Snavelly (Colorado Springs), L. E. Bean (Alamosa), T. B. McDivitt, J. Graydon Wilson, Edward Karlson (550 So. Decatur, Denver), T. O. Robinson (391 So. Humboldt, Denver), Alan K. Williams, H. H. Baker, Ivan Eicher (Holyoke), R. B. Spencer (Fort Morgan), O. Franklin Archer, Paul K. Corley, Laird V. Loveland, W. C. Wampler, C. E. Albertson, F. A. McDaniels, Ezra Cox, Reuben Staniforth, Henry L. Weiss.

Four Young People: Don Hammond (Burlington), David Beatty (Springfield), Mary Lyons (1918 Carlile, Pueblo), Peggy Piper (1540 Pine, Boulder).

Conference President, W. S. C. S.

Conference Lay Leader.

Conference Missionary Secretary.

General Board Member.

XI. TEMPERANCE

(Par. 1471)

Samuel L. Maxwell, James W. Barrett, L. L. Beahm (Canon City), Mrs. T. H. Betts (485 S. Logan, Denver), Mrs. C. A. Brooks (Trinity Church, Colorado Springs), Francis W. Brush, Tess Van Dyke, Marshall Hinds, Samuel W. Marble, R. B. Ragatz (Sterling), Allan N. Talla, C. O. Thibodeau, Mrs. R. P. Culnerwell (Hudson), Allan K. Williams, H. C. Alley.

XII. WESLEY FOUNDATION

Allan K. Williams, Mrs. R. C. Baker, through the session of 1949.

M. L. Jackson, E. C. Harrah (Greeley), through the session of 1950.

Howard O. Ashton (Boulder), Luther Bean (Alamosa), through the session

of 1951.

Samuel W. Marble, Mrs. J. V. K. Wagar (Fort Collins), through the session of 1952.

XIII. EVANGELISM

(Par. 1559)

The District Superintendents:

H. C. Alley, Bernard Vessey (Colorado Springs); Samuel L. Maxwell, Mrs. William McAllister (1283 Downing, Denver); Claude E. Copley, John Cuykendall (Roggen); D. A. Bird.

Ex-Officio: Secretary of Spiritual Life of the W. S. C. S. and the Conference Secretary of Evangelism.

XIV. LAY ACTIVITIES

(Par. 1492)

Conference Lay Leader: E. C. Harrah (Greeley), Chairman; R. B. Spencer (Fort Morgan), Vice Chairman.

John H. Cuykendall, Secretary, pro-tem. (Roggen, Colo.).

James W. Barrett, Treasurer (4890 So. Broadway, Englewood, Colo.).

Colorado Springs-Pueblo District Leader: Bernard Vessey, Colorado Springs.

Associate District Lay Leaders: Luther E. Bean (Alamosa), Robert Dickey (Springfield), R. S. Doenges (Colorado Springs), Donald Fox (Pueblo), George Strain (La Junta).

Denver-Grand Junction District Lay Leader: James W. Barrett (4890 So. Broadway, Englewood, Colo.).

Associate District Lay Leaders: T. O. Robinson (391 So. Humboldt, Denver), Clarence Snyder (Delta), Rex Scott (Grand Junction), W. L. Woodbury (Durango),

Greeley District Lay Leader: R. B. Spencer (Fort Morgan).

Associate District Lay Leaders: Earl Hedrick (Wray), Walter I. Hammond (Burlington), Ivan Eicher (Holyoke), H. Vance Austin (Sterling), John Allardice (Boulder), Claude Luekens (Steamboat Springs), John H. Cuykendall (Roggen).

(b.) Trustees of Conference Institutions

XV. TRUSTEES OF THE COLORADO CONFERENCE OF THE METHODIST CHURCH AND THE COLORADO ANNUAL CONFERENCE OF THE METHODIST EPISCOPAL CHURCH

1949—Lewis A. Dick (809 Steele, Denver), Richard Palmer, A. P. Gaines.

1950—George Stiles (725 Newport, Denver), Preston H. Childress, Gabriel S. Upton.

1951—Harold C. Knudsen, L. M. Gjerde (2530 Albion, Denver), Roy H. McVicker.

XVI. COLORADO SEMINARY

(Property-holding corporation under charter of March 5, 1864)

UNIVERSITY OF DENVER

(Degree-conferring Corporation)

Class of 1949: Mrs. Ainslie Whyman, Gerald S. Peters, S. Arthur Henry, John Gorsuch, Alfred Triefus, Henry S. Van Schaack.

Class of 1950: Wilbur F. Denious, Thomas A. Dines, Charles C. Gates, Robert S. Kohn, Harold Silver, Robert Selig, Allen R. Phipps.

Class of 1951: Roger D. Knight, I. F. Downer, Barry Sullivan, Harry Leonard, Morrison Shaffroth, J. Foster Symes, John Evans, Jr.

Class of 1952: Farrington Carpenter, Cris Dobbins, J. Stanley Edwards, Ralph B. Mayo, Lee Moe, Frank H. Ricketson, Jr. Resident Bishop, Denver Area of The Methodist Church.

XVII. ILIFF SCHOOL OF THEOLOGY

Guy Fox, L. M. Gjerde, E. V. Graham, S. Arthur Henry, James Macpherson, Roy H. McVicker, Mrs. I. R. Romer, Mrs. W. H. Wierman, Donald Tippet, Roy McConnell, through session of 1949.

Archie Allison, Rufus C. Baker, Percy Conklin, Miss Louise Iliff, Gerald H. Kennedy, Guy E. Konkell, R. B. Spencer, Paul W. Swisher, through session of 1950.

Ben H. Christner, Ezra M. Cox, Lewis A. Dick, Elmer E. Hester, William S. Iliff, Jr., Ralph B. Mayo, J. Herman Salley, Gerald L. Schlessman, through session of 1951.

XVIII. PINE CREST ASSOCIATION

R. O. Gilpin, Louis Haruf, A. E. Plummer through 1949.

F. A. McDaniels, Donald Grooters, Leon H. Sweetland through 1950.

Ex-Officio: The Bishop, one District Superintendent, the Executive Secretary of the Conference Board of Education.

XIX. SAN ISABEL EPWORTH LEAGUE INSTITUTE OF THE METHODIST EPISCOPAL CHURCH OF THE COLORADO CONFERENCE

R. O. Gilpin, Louis Haruf, A. E. Plummer through 1949.

F. A. McDaniels, Donald Grooters, Leon H. Sweetland through 1950.

Ex-Officio: The Bishop, one District Superintendent, the Executive Secretary of the Conference Board of Education.

XX. METHODIST PENSION FUND

O. C. Domer, John S. Fabling, William C. Wasser, through session of 1949.

R. O. Gilpin, Guy E. Konkell, I. A. West, through session of 1950.

M. L. Jackson, A. K. Williams, H. E. Popham (Denver), through session of 1951.

XXI. ADVISORY COUNCIL METHODIST PENSION FUND

Rufus C. Baker, H. E. Bolander, O. C. Domer, B. Albott Frye, M. Allen Keith, S. W. Marble, C. Roy Muchow, H. M. Pingree.

(c.) Conference Commissions**XXII. COMMISSION ON TOWN AND COUNTRY WORK**

(Par. 1232)

Resident Bishop, the District Superintendents, Conference Missionary Secretary, Executive Secretary of the Board of Education, Conference President of the Woman's Society of Christian Service, Representative elected by the Board of Missions and Church Extension, Representative elected by the Board of Education, Representative elected by the Board of Evangelism, Representative elected by the Woman's Society of Christian Service, Representative elected by the Conference Methodist Youth Fellowship, Lester W. Edgett, L. E. Bean (Alamosa), J. H. Wubben, T. O. Robinson (391 S. Humboldt), Frank Dawson, Conenor, John Cuykendall (Roggen).

XXIII. PINE CREST COMMISSION

R. O. Gilpin, Louis Haruf, A. E. Plummer through 1949.

F. A. McDaniels, Donald J. Grooters, Leon H. Sweetland, through 1950.

XXIV. GRAND MESA INSTITUTE COMMISSION

Through 1949—A. P. Gaines.

Through 1950—Minar Gerrard.

Through 1951—Willis C. Phelps.

Through 1952—Claude Kinsley.

XXV. CONFERENCE MINUTES

Through 1949—Alfred C. Carlyon, R. L. Henry.

Through 1950—Lowell B. Swan, Henry C. Beatty.

Through 1951—Marshall Hinds, George Pimlott.

XXVI. EXCHANGE OF TERRITORY

The District Superintendents.

XXVII. WORLD SERVICE AND FINANCE

Guy E. Konkell, J. H. Burkstresser, Dale Hanna (Burlington), Ranold Plott, Clare J. Hayes, Roy Short (Canon City), M. Allen Keith, De Wight Perkins (Denver), Lowell Swan, Bernard Vessey (Colorado Springs), J. W. Barrett (Englewood).

(d.) Conference Committees**XXVIII. ACCEPTED SUPPLY PASTORS**

(Par. 315)

From Board of Ministerial Training: W. R. Burnett, Secretary, Ben H. Christner, O. C. Domer, L. C. Dryden, Harvey H. Pothoff.

From Board of Conference Relations: C. O. Thibodeau, Samuel W. Marble, M. L. Jackson, H. C. Kephart, Benjamin Eitelgeorge.

XXIX. PROGRAM AND ENTERTAINMENT

The Resident Bishop, the Conference Secretary, the Conference Treasurer, the District Superintendents, the Conference Lay Leader, the Pastor of the Host Church, the President of the Conference Board of Missions and Church Extension, the President of the Conference Board of Education, the President of the Woman's Society of Christian Service, the President of the Colorado Methodist Youth Fellowship.

XXX. CONSCIENTIOUS OBJECTORS

The Resident Bishop, the District Superintendents, Walter G. Williams, T. J. Franks, Vernon Hanks, J. Paul Morgan, Henry Weiss.

XXXI. AMERICAN BIBLE SOCIETY

Ranold F. Plott, H. A. Critchett, J. R. Jones, Richard E. West, Henry C. Beatty.

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XXXIII. DISTRICT COMMITTEES ON QUALIFICATIONS OF LOCAL PREACHERS AND LICENSE TO PREACH

Colorado Springs-Pueblo District:

H. C. Alley, H. R. Bauer, T. B. McDivitt, Benjamin Eitelgeorge, Paul Morgan, Kenneth M. Smith.

Denver-Grand Junction District:

L. W. Coffman, Claude R. Kinsley, Paul A. Shields, J. H. Wubben, R. Jay Wilson, Allan K. Williams.

Greeley District:

O. Franklin Archer, Paul Corley, Claude E. Copley, Louis A. Haruf, G. S. Upton.

XXXIV. INVESTIGATION

L. C. Dryden, John R. Edwards, Vernon K. Hanks, H. C. Kephart, Roy H. McVicker; alternates: Henry H. Baker, Reuben I. Staniforth.

XXXV. MEMOIRS

The Board of Trustees of the Colorado Methodist Historical Society.

XXXVI. NOMINATIONS

Through 1949—L. Edwin Cooke, T. O. Robinson (391 So. Humboldt).

Through 1950—Gabriel S. Upton, Mrs. W. L. Hopkins (Wray).

Through 1951—J. H. Wubben, John H. Cuykendall (Roggen), A. R. Dennis.

XXXVII. PRO-RATING

Board of Conference Claimants.

XXXVIII. RESOLUTIONS

O. Franklin Archer, R. S. Abell (Englewood), George Berry, T. R. Burdick (Fort Collins), Roy Gaither, Ed Karlson (550 So. Decatur), A. W. Lenz, R. B. Spencer (Fort Morgan), J. Graydon Wilson.

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XL. STATE OF THE CHURCH

Samuel W. Marble, L. L. Beahm (Canon City), William E. Bell, Claude Copley, Vernon Hanks, Norman Jensen, Henry Merkel, J. D. Metzger (Longmont), J. Arthur Phelps, Allan N. Talla.

XLI. BROTHERHOOD FUND

Paul A. Shields, H. R. Bauer, J. R. Blevins, Claude Kinsley, A. W. Lenz, A. E. Plummer, Sec'y.-Treasurer, Kenneth Smith, Richard E. West, R. Jay Wilson, H. I. Woolard.

Ex-Officio: The District Superintendents.

XLII. COMITY COMMITTEE

R. C. Baker, R. O. Gilpin, John Spargo, Murray Beattie, Paul Habliston.

XLIII. CHURCH YEAR PROGRAM AND CONFERENCE CALENDAR

L. L. Beahm (Canon City), E. C. Harrah (Greeley), Clare J. Hayes, Convenor, K. Orlando Lee, Mrs. F. I. Hollingsworth (624 So. Penn., Denver), Kenneth Sausaman, William McFadden, William J. Willcox.

XLIV. WORLD PEACE

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(e.) Special Committees and Miscellaneous**XLV. DISTRIBUTING**

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XLVI. EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE OF ASBURY LEGION

C. O. Thibodeau, George E. Berry, Lloyd Barnett, B. B. Byus, Claude Copley, Lowell Swan.

XLVII. TO PREACH THE MEMORIAL SERMON

H. H. Baker. Alternate: G. S. Upton.

XLVIII. INSURANCE

Samuel Marble, chairman; J. W. Burnett, Frank Dawson, H. A. Hanke, Secretary; R. L. Henry.

XLIX. AUDITING

James W. Barrett, R. Jay Wilson, William Loach (1374 So. Vine, Denver).

L. CALENDAR COMMITTEE

The District Superintendents, Presidents of the W. S. C. S. and Youth Fellowship, Executive Secretary of the Board of Education, and the Board of Missions, and representatives of Conference and church institutions, and Executive Secretary of the State Council of Churches.

LI. PUBLICITY COMMITTEE

Walter G. Williams, Ranold Plott, Henry M. Rogers (1822 Welton, Denver).

LII. DISTRICT BOARDS ON CHURCH LOCATION AND BUILDING

Colorado Springs-Pueblo District:

Cyrus E. Albertson, Luther Bean, Fred M. Betz, H. A. Critchett, T. B. McDivitt, Ross Berry.

Greeley District:

A. E. Plummer, Henry C. Beatty, William Pepper, Arthur Nelson, Claude Lukens.

Denver-Grand Junction District:

Roy Muchow, L. M. Gjerde, J. Richard Palmer, A. P. Gaines, Harold Knudsen, Paul Swisher.

(f.) Treasurers**CONFERENCE TREASURER—**

M. Allen Keith, 318 Trinity Bldg., Denver 2, Colorado

Church Treasurers carefully note the following:

1. Funds intended for any or all of the three salary claims namely, Conference Claimants, District Superintendents, and Bishop can be sent in one check. BUT NOTE—the amount for each claim must be carefully specified.

2. Funds intended for General Board or Annual Conference Benevolences may be sent in one check. Division of these funds will be made in the Conference Treasurer's office according to the ratio fixed by vote of the Annual Conference.

3. Do not send funds to the Conference Treasurer intended for other than salary, General Board and Conference Benevolences. Other treasurers are listed below.

Other Treasurers:

Colorado Methodist Historical Society

E. N. Edgerton, 312 Trinity Building.

Conference Brotherhood Fund:

A. E. Plummer, Loveland, Colorado.

Pension Fund Pledges and Percentages:

L. G. Dawson, 312 Trinity Building.

Pine Crest: W. R. Burnett, Brush, Colorado.

Grand Mesa: Clarence Drexel, Crawford, Colorado.

III. ROLLS OF CONFERENCE MEMBERS

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State unnamed is Colorado. (R) stands for retired.

(S) stands for supernumerary.

(A) FULL MEMBERS

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San Diego 2, Calif.
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IV. DAILY PROCEEDINGS

OF THE COLORADO ANNUAL CONFERENCE

Wednesday, June 16, 1948, 10 A. M.

Opening—The Colorado Annual Conference of The Methodist Church convened for its Tenth Session in Trinity Methodist Church, Denver, Colorado, at 10 a. m., with Bishop Wilbur E. Hammaker presiding, this being the Eighty-Sixth Session of the Colorado Annual Conference of the Methodist Episcopal Church.

Sacrament of the Lord's Supper—The Bishop led the Conference in worship, speaking on the theme, "This Hour—This Cause."

Roll Call—On motion the Secretary requested all Lay and Ministerial Delegates, Probationers, and Accepted Supplies to place their names on roll call cards.

Those seated were:

Lay Members: Roy L. Abbott, Roy S. Abell, James W. Barrett, Luther E. Bean, Mrs. Fred E. Bear, Mrs. Fred R. Brengle, Mrs. C. E. Carver, John H. Cuykendall, Mary Darling, A. J. Davy, John W. Edgar, Waldo E. Ewing, Mrs. J. C. Fletcher, Don T. Fox, Mrs. Arthur Frary, C. C. Garrett, L. M. Gjerde, Mrs. Carl J. Gray, Mrs. H. E. Green, Millicent Gregory, Mrs. Marvin Holford, Mrs. W. L. Hopkins, Mrs. Mary Hubbard, Mrs. Leon Kepler, Mrs. Otto Law, Stanley A. Leftwich, Dick L. Matoush, W. I. McPherron, Mrs. H. R. Morris, Ang. E. Nelson, Mrs. F. Le. Pferdesteller, Mrs. A. W. Poland, H. E. Popham, Mrs. Leona Quinn, Mrs. D. A. Rees, J. W. Roberts, T. O. Robinson, Luther Robertson, Mrs. L. E. Rowland, Mrs. F. C. Sager, H. J. Schwarze, Mrs. Ethel B. Seal, John E. Skinner, Roy Smith, Clarence Snyder, R. B. Spencer, Mrs. Ermine Stafford, Geo. W. Stiles, Mrs. J. E. Wadleigh, R. H. Warfield, Mrs. Lavenia C. Woods.

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Walter G. Williams, A. D. Wilson, Gile V. Wilson, J. Graydon Wilson, R Jay Wilson, Willis C. Wisehart, Harold I. Woolard, J. Hubert Wubben.

Probationers: Keith E. Bruning, David E. Cisneros, Arthur Frary, Dean Kelly, Earl E. Lewis, K. D. Moore, Joseph N. Uemura.

Accepted Supplies: John R. Abernethy, John B. Barnes, Mrs. Lorraine T. Benton, Warren L. Briggs, J. S. Brownell, LeRoy Boyd, John Burnett, James Fletcher, Walter F. Frey, J. Robert Dibble, Carl J. Gray, Mrs. Carl J. Gray, J. D. Keller, John Earl Lake, Thomas Manwaring, John Wesley Millsap, Rebecca Modellmog, S. E. Parrot, Walter E. White.

Official Program—On motion the printed program was declared to be the Official Program of this session of the Annual Conference.

Conference Secretary—The Secretary presented the names of his assistants for this Session and on motion they were elected. They were: Donald J. Grooters, Vernon K. Hanks, Louis A. Haruf, L. George Pimlott, William C. Tremmel, J. Graydon Wilson, Harold I. Woolard.

Conference Statistician—The Conference Statistician, J. T. Bainbridge, presented the names of his assistants for this Session and on motion they were elected. They were: Burke R. Lawton, I. O. Tweedy, Mrs. Burke R. Lawton, Mrs. J. T. Bainbridge.

Bar of the Conference—On motion the Bar of the Conference was fixed to include the front twelve rows of pews in the sanctuary.

Approval of the Journal—On motion L. Edwin Cooke and O. Franklin Archer were named as the Committee on Approval of the Journal.

Ushers—On motion Paul A. Shields was named head usher during business sessions and the following were named as assistants: Paul J. Habliston, Albert E. Scarffe, G. S. Upton, William J. Willcox.

Memorial Service—Bishop Hammaker presented F. E. Edwards who presided during the Memorial Service.

Question 37—The Secretary read the names of Ministers who had died during the year: R. R. Adams, W. E. Blackstock, G. M. Ellis. The names of Ministers' Wives who had died also were read: Mrs. George Avery, Mrs. Cary G. Coulter, Mrs. W. S. Grimm, Mrs. C. B. Spencer.

Norman L. Jensen sang, Benjamin Eitelgeorge delivered the sermon. A bouquet was placed on the chancel by Mrs. George W. Ellis in memory of her husband.

Announcements—Various announcements were made.

Adjournment—Following the benediction by William C. Wasser the Conference adjourned.

Wednesday, June 16, 2:15 P. M.

Prayer—The Conference was led in prayer by Walter G. Williams.

Gift to Bishop Hammaker—Rufus C. Baker, speaking for the District Superintendents, presented a gavel and base made of native wood to Bishop Hammaker in grateful appreciation for his leadership as an administrator, churchman and friend, to which Bishop Hammaker made appropriate response.

Excused—On motion the following were excused from Conference sessions indicated: John W. Bartrug, H. C. Kephart, Walter C. Loague, Roberto Pedraza, George Turner, Richard E. West for all sessions; Marshall R. Hinds and Harold C. Knudsen for Wednesday; Paul Corley for Wednesday afternoon and Thursday; Guy E. Konkell, R. E. Scarffe, Kenneth M. Smith for Thursday; Warren Briggs and William C. Tremmel for Friday, Saturday and Sunday; I. O. Tweedy for Sunday; George E. Fort for all morning sessions; Francis W. Brush for all but occasional sessions.

Question 16—Answered in the negative for all regular members and for all Accepted Supplies.

Laymen's Forum—The Lay Members of the Conference were excused to attend a Laymen's Forum including reports from the General Conference and from the Rural Church Conference.

Disciplinary Questions—On recommendation of the Board of Conference

Relations and Ministerial Qualifications and of the Board of Ministerial Training, the Conference voted as follows:

Question 18(c)—Carl J. Gray was advanced to Studies of the Third Year.

Question 43—John R. Abernethy was received On Trial and advanced to Studies of the Second Year.

Question 18(a)—Horace H. Mounts was placed in Studies of the First Year.

Question 18(d)—Lorraine T. Benton was advanced to Studies of the Fourth Year.

Question 19(b)—Thomas L. Kleen was received On Trial and placed in Studies of the Third Year.

Question 19(a)—Robert G. Abernethy and William I. Oba were received On Trial and placed in Studies of the First Year.

Question 20(a)—John W. Burnett was continued On Trial and continued in studies of the First Year.

Question 43—George E. Fort was continued On Trial and advanced to Studies of the Third Year.

Question 20(b)—Earl E. Lewis was continued On Trial and advanced to Studies of the Second Year.

Question 43—Dean M. Kelley, Erwin E. Mindt, H. Earl Morris, Jr., Albert W. Scarffe were continued On Trial and advanced to Studies of the Third Year.

Question 20(a)—Raymond A. Nesmith and Keith E. Bruning were continued On Trial and continued in Studies of the First Year.

Question 19(a)—Rafael V. Martinez was received On Trial and placed in Studies of the First Year.

Question 43—Joseph N. Uemura was continued On Trial and advanced to Studies of the Third Year.

Question 22—David E. Cisneros, Arthur W. Frary, LeRoy O. King, Kenneth D. Moore and Stowell Sandmeyer were admitted into Full Connection.

Question 26(a)—Carl J. Gray was elected to Deacon's Orders as a Local Preacher.

Question 25—William Opitz, Kenneth H. Rice, Stowell Sandmeyer were graduated from the Course of Study.

Question 33(a)—J. D. Keller was received into full membership from the Wesleyan Methodist Church in Ohio and his Deacon's Orders recognized.

Question 23(a)—J. D. Keller and LeRoy O. King were placed in Studies of the Third Year.

Question 33(b)—Llewellyn G. Burris was received into full membership from the Evangelical-United Brethren Church and his Elder's Orders recognized, conditional upon acceptance of his academic work by the Board of Ministerial Training.

Question 22—Llewellyn G. Burris was received into Full Connection.

Question 39—I. O. Tweedy was granted Sabbatical Leave.

Question 40(a)—L. C. Dryden, John R. Edwards, A. W. Hall, H. C. Kephart, Fred C. Sager, Charles E. Wentworth were granted the Retired Relation, having reached the age for voluntary retirement.

Question 40(b)—J. L. Chestnutt, Roy O. Hills, Louis H. Kaub, and M. Allen Keith were continued in the Retired Relation because of physical disability.

On motion the Secretary was instructed to send letters of love and greeting to: J. L. Chestnutt, Roy O. Hills, H. C. Kephart, Charles E. Wentworth.

Question 38—Albert L. Kongable was granted the Supernumerary Relation for the first year.

Question 20(a)—Robert G. Albertson was continued On Trial for the second year.

Question 19(b)—Glen R. Barber was received On Trial and placed in Studies of the Third Year.

Question 34—Paul L. Robison on April 1, 1948, from the Michigan Conference; Stowell Sandmeyer on June 1, 1948, from Southern California-Arizona Conference; Willis C. Wisehart on June 10, 1948, from Central Kansas Conference; William McFadden on June 12, 1948, from Wyoming State Conference; Wilbur M. Benham on June 16, 1948, from West Oklahoma Conference; Robert R. Kessinger, from Michigan Conference, June 16, 1948. (b)—Thomas L. Kleen.

(c)—Glen R. Barber, George E. Fort, Dean M. Kelley, LeRoy O. King, Kenneth D. Moore, H. Earl Morris, Jr., William M. Opitz, Joseph N. Uemura.

Question 30—William M. Opitz from the Southern California-Arizona Conference.

Question 28(d)—David E. Cisneros, Arthur W. Frary, Kenneth H. Rice, Stowell Sandmeyer.

Introductions—Rufus C. Baker introduced Walter D. Frey of Meeker. John L. Spargo introduced Ralph D. Schlabin. R. O. Gilpin introduced Willis C. Wisehart.

Adjournment—On motion the Colorado Conference of The Methodist Church adjourned.

Methodist Pension Fund, Incorporated—Following adjournment of the Conference William C. Wasser, President, convened the Methodist Pension Fund, Incorporated. See Report.

Adjournment—On motion the Methodist Pension Fund, Incorporated, adjourned.

Reconvened—On motion the Colorado Annual Conference of The Methodist Church reconvened.

Extension of Time—On motion the time was extended beyond the announced hour of adjournment.

Colorado Methodist Historical Society—E. N. Edgerton, Secretary, presented the report of the Colorado Methodist Historical Society, and on motion it was received.

Conference Treasurer—The following were named assistants to the Conference Treasurer: Taylor McConnell, H. Earl Morris, Jr., William Oba, Willis C. Phelps, Albert W. Scarffe, Joseph N. Uemura, William J. Willcox.

Announcements—Various announcements were made.

Adjournment—Following the benediction by H. M. Pingree the Conference was adjourned.

Thursday, June 17, 1948, 8:45 A. M.

Devotions—The Conference was led in devotions by Murray B. Beattie, following which Bishop Wilbur E. Hammaker delivered a sermon-address on the subject, "Abraham—Theologizer."

Approval of Journal—On motion the report of the Committee on Approval of the Journal was accepted and the Minutes of the Wednesday sessions were approved as corrected.

District Superintendents' Report—Order of the Day—R. O. Gilpin presented the report of the District Superintendents, and on motion appropriate sections were referred to the respective Conference boards and committees, the report as a whole was accepted and ordered printed in the Journal.

Recognition—The Bishop presented Rufus C. Baker and his wife on this occasion of their wedding anniversary. The Conference stood in appreciation and recognition, and the Bakers each responded appropriately.

Conference Statistician—Question 45—Order of the Day—J. T. Bainbridge, Statistician, read his report and on motion it was officially received to be edited and printed.

Conference Treasurer—Question 44—Order of the Day—M. Allen Keith, Treasurer, read his report and on motion it was officially received to be edited and printed.

Introductions—The Bishop introduced Fred C. Clark of the Central Kansas Conference and Howard L. Elston of the Wyoming State Conference.

Recess—The Conference recessed for ten minutes.

Board of Education—Order of the Day—Kenneth H. Sausaman, President of the Board of Education, presided.

Report of The Iliff School of Theology—Walter L. Breaw, Field Secretary, and Edward R. Bartlett, President, addressed the Conference.

The Conference elected by ballot the following Trustees of The Iliff School of Theology, Class of 1951: Ben H. Christner, Ezra M. Cox, Lewis A. Dick, Elmer E. Hester, William S. Iliff, Jr., Ralph B. Mayo, J. Herman Salley, Gerald L. Schlessman.

The Conference adopted the following resolution:

"That the Western Jurisdictional Conference recommend to the constituent Annual Conferences, District Conferences, and local churches that they facilitate the recruitment of candidates for the ministry, a larger use of the services of The Iliff School of Theology, and the development of a program of cultivation by the School leading to increased financial support through Conference, Church and individual contributions.

"It is further requested that the Annual Conference Boards of Education set up committees to put this recommendation into effect and to work with the committee on theological schools raised by the General Conference of 1948, providing such plans shall be in accord with any such plans which may be proposed by the General Conference Committee on Theological Schools."

On motion the report of The Iliff School of Theology was officially received and ordered edited and printed.

The Wesley Foundation report was presented by Henry L. Weiss. Miss Peggy Daly, a member of one of the Wesley Foundation groups, addressed the Conference. The report was officially received and ordered edited and printed.

Ben H. Christner, Executive Secretary of the Conference Board of Education, presented his report and it was officially received and ordered edited and printed.

Nominating Committee—A. P. Gaines, Chairman of the Nominating Committee, presented the nominations for the Board of Missions and Church Extension. See Boards, Commissions and Committees.

Introductions—Paul L. Robison and William McFadden were introduced to the Conference.

Utah Mission—The Bishop explained General Conference action dissolving the Utah Mission, and that at the Utah Mission Conference, June, 1948, unanimous action was taken to incorporate the Mission into the Colorado Conference.

Question 34—Walter C. Wampler was transferred from the Montana State Conference as of June 17, 1948.

Announcements—Various announcements were made.

Excused—Thomas J. Franks was excused from the Thursday afternoon session.

Methodist Pension Fund—W. C. Wasser, president of the Methodist Pension Fund, Inc., announced the election of Monford L. Jackson, Allan K. Williams, H. E. Popham to the Board of Managers.

Adjournment—Following prayer by George E. Kitchen the Conference adjourned.

Thursday, June 17, 1948, 2:15 P. M.

Devotions—The Conference was led in prayer by Frank E. Dawson.

Pacific Japanese Provisional Conference—Rufus C. Baker presented K. Sasaki of the Pacific Japanese Provisional Conference who addressed the Conference. On motion his communication was officially received and ordered printed in the Journal for future reference. See Reports.

Board of Education—Order of the Day—Kenneth H. Sausaman, President of the Conference Board of Education, presided.

Glen Hamlyn, president of the Colorado Methodist Youth Fellowship,

Eastern Section, presented the report of the Colorado Methodist Youth Fellowship. The report was officially received and ordered edited and printed.

On motion the following resolution was adopted:

"Resolved that the Colorado Annual Conference raise a permanent committee to be composed of the resident Bishop, one District Superintendent, chosen by the Cabinet, the Executive Secretary of the Conference Board of Education, the President of the Conference Woman's Society of Christian Service, and three representatives each of the Conference Commission on Town and Country Life, the Conference Board of Missions and Church Extension, and the Conference Board of Education, said representatives to be chosen by respective organizations; to be charged with the responsibility of promoting and administering the Conference Program of Christian Extension."

On motion the report of the Board of Education was officially received and ordered edited and printed.

Question 35—Arthur C. Stubbs on September 1, 1947, to Central Kansas Conference; Charles R. Rowe on September 15, 1947, to Southern California-Arizona Conference; Meredith P. Smith on April 1, 1948, to New England Conference; Richard E. Halbert on June 13, 1948, to Wyoming State Conference.

Board of Ministerial Training and Qualifications—The Bishop nominated the members of the Board of Ministerial Training and Qualifications. On motion they were confirmed by the Conference. See Boards, Commissions, and Committees.

Order of the Day—On motion the report of the Committee of Fifteen for the United Campaign was made the Order of the Day for Saturday, 10:55 a. m.

Question 1—Warren S. Bainbridge, Secretary, for the Quadrennium. J. T. Bainbridge, Statistician, for the Quadrennium.

Question 2—Yes.

Adjournment—The Colorado Annual Conference of The Methodist Church adjourned.

Annual Session of the Colorado Conference of the

Methodist Episcopal Church, Thursday, June 17, 1948, 3:30 P. M.

Opening—The Colorado Annual Conference of The Methodist Episcopal Church convened for its Eighty-sixth Session in Trinity Methodist Church, Denver, Colorado, at 3:30 p. m., with Bishop Wilbur E. Hammaker, presiding.

Organization—On motion the following officers were elected: President, Wilbur E. Hammaker; Secretary, Warren S. Bainbridge; Treasurer, M. Allen Keith.

Official Journal—Warren S. Bainbridge presented the resolution concerning the Official Journal of the Conference, and on motion it was adopted. The resolution follows:

Be It Resolved:

That the Official Journal of the Tenth Session of The Colorado Annual Conference of The Methodist Church, held in Trinity Methodist Church, Denver, Colorado, June 16-20, 1948, is hereby declared to be the Official Journal of the corporation known as the Colorado Annual Conference of the Methodist Episcopal Church and that all actions taken and resolutions passed by said Colorado Annual Conference of The Methodist Church be, and the same are hereby ratified and adopted as and for the acts of the corporation, the Colorado Annual Conference of the Methodist Episcopal Church.

Question 3(a)—Conference Treasurer, \$10,000; Treasurer, Conference Board of Claimants, \$10,000; Treasurer, Board of Education, \$2,000; Executive Secretary, Methodist Pension Fund, Inc., \$5,000; Treasurer, Board of Missions and Church Extension, \$5,000; Treasurer, Pine Crest Association, \$10,000; Treasurer, Grand Mesa Institute, \$5,000; Treasurer, San Luis Valley Institute Com., \$5,000; Treasurer, Brotherhood Fund, \$1,000; Treasurer, United Finance Campaign, \$5,000; Assistant Treasurer, United Finance Campaign, \$5,000.

On motion the Conference authorized J. W. Barrett, Chairman of the Auditing Committee, to secure an annual audit of all Conference financial records by a Certified Public Accountant and that the expense of the audit be borne by the various organizations within the Conference which have these funds.

(b)—Yes. See above action.

Board of Missions and Church Extension—Order of the Day—Leon H. Sweetland, President of the Conference Board of Missions and Church Extension, presented the report. On motion the report was accepted and ordered edited and printed. See Reports.

Elliot Fisher, Superintendent of the Department of Town and Rural Work, addressed the Conference.

Allan K. Williams, newly elected President of the Board, was presented. T. B. McDivitt was elected Conference Missionary Secretary for 1948-49.

Excused—Warren S. Bainbridge and Louis A. Haruf were excused from the Saturday afternoon session.

Announcements—Various announcements were made.

Adjournment—Following prayer by T. J. Tramel the Conference adjourned.

Friday, June 18, 1948, 8:45 A. M.

Devotions—The Conference was led in devotions by O. Franklin Archer, following which Bishop Wilbur E. Hammaker delivered a sermon-address on the subject, "Amos-Moralizer."

Approval of Journal—On motion the report of the Committee on Approval of the Journal was accepted and the Minutes of the Thursday session were approved as corrected.

Commission on World Service and Finance—Order of the Day—Guy E. Konkel, Chairman, read the report of the Commission. See Report.

M. Allen Keith was nominated and elected Treasurer for the next Quadrennium.

On motion the Conference accepted each of the first fourteen sections of the report and the fifteenth section was accepted as amended.

Excused—Kenneth M. Smith and R Jay Wilson were excused from the Friday sessions; C. F. Ault and P. D. Griffin were excused from all sessions of the Conference.

Question 5—Yes.

Question 6—See the report of District Superintendents.

Question 7—Under consideration.

Question 8—See the report of the Commission on World Service and Finance.

Question 10(a)—\$56,484.

(b)—\$5,450.

(c)—\$2,970.

Question 13—None.

Conference Board of Trustees—On motion the Conference Board of Trustees in cooperation with the District Superintendents were instructed to prepare by Districts, lists of all abandoned or unused church property, such lists to be published annually in the Journal.

Question 17—W. R. Burnett, Secretary of the Committee on Accepted Supplies, read the report and on motion it was accepted. See Report.

Question 15—L. C. Dryden, John R. Edwards, Vernon K. Hanks, H. C. Kephart, Roy H. McVicker. Alternates: Henry H. Baker, Reuben I. Staniforth.

Commission on World Service and Finance—Rufus C. Baker presented nominations from the Cabinet for Quadrennial elections to the Commission on World Service and Finance, and the nominees were elected. See Boards, Commissions and Committees.

District Boards of Church Location and Building—Rufus C. Baker pre-

sented nominations from the Cabinet for elections to the District Boards of Church Location and Building, and the nominees were elected. See Boards, Commissions and Committees.

World Peace Commission—Henry L. Weiss presented the report of the World Peace Commission and on motion it was received and ordered edited and printed. See Report.

Question 30(a)(1)—Robert R. Kessinger was transferred from the Michigan Conference for the purpose of ordination.

Question 22—Robert R. Kessinger was received into Full Connection.

Recess—The Conference recessed for ten minutes.

Board of Education—James F. Price, Chancellor of the University of Denver, presented his report and on motion it was received. See Report.

On motion the Conference ordered the Secretary to cast a unanimous ballot for the election of Trustees of the University of Denver (Colorado Seminary), electing the following: Mrs. Ainslie Whyman, to fill a vacancy in the the Class of 1949; Allen R. Phipps to fill a vacancy in the Class of 1950; Farrington Carpenter, Cris Dobbins, J. Stanley Edwards, Ralph B. Mayo, Lee Moe, Frank H. Ricketson, Jr., Resident Bishop of the Denver Area of the Methodist Church, for the Class of 1952.

Lyndon B. Phifer, Associate Editor of Church School Publications, addressed the Conference.

Introduction—The Bishop introduced H. H. Donnenworth, Superintendent of the Inter-Church Temperance Movement, who addressed the Conference.

New Advance Program—Order of the Day—Rufus C. Baker presided. R. B. Spencer and Bernard Vessey, Lay Delegates to the General Conference, addressed the Conference concerning their impressions of the General Conference.

Announcements—Various announcements were made.

Adjournment—Following prayer by H. M. Pingree, the Conference adjourned.

Friday, June 18, 1948, 2:15 P. M.

Devotions—The Conference was led in prayer by William E. Bell.

Woman's Society of Christian Service—Order of the Day—The Bishop presented Mrs. F. J. Hollingsworth, Conference President of the Woman's Society of Christian Service.

The service of devotions was led by Mrs. Wilbur E. Hammaker, Miss Violette McCarthy sang "My God and I" and "O Divine Redeemer." Mark A. Dawber, Executive Secretary of the Home Missions Council of North America, addressed the Conference on the topic, "The World at Our Door."

Recess—The Conference was recessed for five minutes.

World Service and Finance—On motion of Guy E. Konkell, Chairman of the Commission on World Service and Finance, the Conference accepted the following recommendations:

That consideration of the plan for Sustentation and Minimum Support submitted one year ago be deferred for one year; and that the Commission be permitted to reprint the report in this year's Journal with certain amendments desired by the Commission.

That the Brotherhood Fund Committee be continued; and that this Committee be authorized to appeal to each pastor to contribute to this fund.

Colorado Council of Churches—R. B. Spencer, President, presented the report and on motion it was accepted.

Official Record—On motion the Conference ordered that the published Minutes of this Session of the Colorado Annual Conference be declared to be the Official Record of the 1948 Session of the Methodist Episcopal Church and of The Methodist Church, subject to revision and editing by the Secretary.

Records of Session—Conference authorized the Committee on Approval of the Journal to approve Saturday and Sunday sessions subject to editing and

revision.

New Advance Program—Order of the Day—Rufus C. Baker, Ben H. Christner and C. E. Albertson, Ministerial Delegates to the General Conference, spoke concerning the New Advance Program adopted by the General Conference for the next Quadrennium.

Denver Area Program—Order of the Day—The District Superintendents and the Executive Secretary of the Conference Board of Education presented the Denver Area Program for the coming year and on motion it was adopted.

Announcements—Various announcements were made.

Adjournment—Following prayer by E. N. Edgerton, the Conference adjourned.

Saturday, June 19, 1948, 8:45 A. M.

Devotions—The Conference was led in devotions by A. P. Gaines, following which Bishop Wilbur E. Hammaker delivered a sermon-address on the subject, "Moses-Liberator."

Approval of the Journal—On motion the report of the Committee on Approval of the Journal was accepted and the Minutes of the Friday sessions were approved as corrected.

Calendar Committee—On motion the Conference voted that the Colorado Conference shall elect a Calendar Committee as recommended by the Area Council, its membership to be comprised as listed in Paragraph 11 of the Area Program.

Publicity Committee—On motion the Conference voted that the Colorado Conference shall elect a Publicity Committee of two ministers and one layman, this committee to be nominated by the Nominating Committee.

Grand Mesa Interdenominational Youth Conference—Paul Shields presented a resolution relative to the organization of the Grand Mesa Interdenominational Youth Conference and on motion it was accepted. See Report.

Methodist Publishing House—Rufus C. Baker, representing the Methodist Publishing House, presented a check for \$3,404.42 to the Board of Conference Claimants.

Chartered Fund—The Bishop presented to the Conference a check for \$65.00 from the Board of Pensions of The Methodist Church.

Salary and Benevolence Year—On motion the Conference voted that the salary year in the Colorado Conference shall begin annually with June 16 and end June 15; the Benevolence year shall begin June 1 and end May 31.

District Committees on Qualifications of Local Preachers and License to Preach—On motion the Conference confirmed the appointment of the District Committees on Qualification of Local Preachers and License to Preach, as presented by the respective District Superintendents. The Committees:

Colorado Springs-Pueblo District—H. C. Alley, H. R. Bauer, T. B. McDivitt, Benjamin Eitelgeorge, Paul Morgan, Kenneth M. Smith.

Denver-Grand Junction District—L. W. Coffman, Claude R. Kinsley, Paul A. Shields, J. H. Wubben, R. Jay Wilson, Allan K. Williams.

Greeley District—O. Franklin Archer, Paul Corley, Claude E. Copley, Louis A. Haruf, G. S. Upton.

Bethel Church—On motion the following resolution was adopted: "Pursuant to the action of the 1947 Annual Conference, relative to the proceeds of the sale of the Bethel Church property, it is moved that the proceeds of sale of said property held in trust by the Trustees of the Bethel Methodist Church be used either for the purchase of building lots in or near Grand Junction or for the completion of the Bethel Chapel on Grand Mesa at the discretion of the District Superintendent of the Denver-Grand Junction District after consultation with said Board of Trustees."

Fare Equalizer—Claude R. Kinsley presented the report of the Fare Equalizer and on motion it was accepted. See Report.

Board of Conference Claimants—Order of the Day—Murray B. Beattie,

Chairman, presented the Annual Report and a resolution of the Board of Conference Claimants and on motion they were adopted. See Report.

The list of special appointments were read. See Appointments.

On motion the report as a whole was accepted and ordered edited and printed.

Board of Lay Activities—Order of the Day—E. C. Harrah, Conference Lay Leader, presented the Annual Report of the Board of Lay Activities.

DeWight B. Perkins of the Denver Methodist Men addressed the Conference concerning the general program of Methodist Men.

On motion the report was received and ordered edited and printed.

Committee on State of the Church—Samuel W. Marble, Chairman, read the report on the State of the Church. See Report.

The report as a whole was received and ordered edited and printed.

Recess—Conference was adjourned for ten minutes.

Utah Mission—Guy E. Konkel presented the following resolution, and on motion it was adopted:

"Whereas, since the beginning of Methodist work in Utah, close and cordial relationships have existed between the Utah Mission and the Colorado Conference and,

"Whereas, the Utah Mission is sending to the Western Jurisdictional Conference a resolution unanimously adopted on June 5, 1948, asking that it be merged with the Colorado Conference, establishing it as an integral part of the Colorado Conference,

"Therefore, be it resolved that the Colorado Conference concur in this resolution and request that the relationship become effective on the day that the action is taken by the Jurisdictional Conference."

Southern Colorado Spanish-Speaking Parish—R. Jay Wilson, Treasurer, presented the report. It was received and ordered audited and printed. See Report.

Temperance Committee—Samuel L. Maxwell, Chairman, presented the report of the Temperance Committee, and it was adopted and ordered edited and printed.

Question 20(a)—Floyd Stephens was continued On Trial in Studies of the First Year.

(c)—Roberto Pedraza was continued On Trial in Studies of the Second Year.

Question 43—Cecil B. Green and William E. Rentfro were continued On Trial in the Studies of the Third Year.

Question 33(b)—L. G. Burris.

Question 33(d)—L. G. Burris.

Question 35—Arman Lathrop, June 18, 1948, Oregon Conference; Arthur E. Treman, June 17, 1948, Oregon Conference.

Question 21—Thomas W. Cummins (Par. 328); R. Paul Freeman, to the Congregational-Christian Church; John M. Wade to the Presbyterian Church (Par. 328).

Question 36(a)—Casiano A. Castorena (Par. 375).

Question 38—W. L. Absher, Norman Paul Babcock, Clark S. Defandorf, E. J. Jenkinson; Anson M. DuBois by unanimous vote.

Question 43—John W. Brownell, John W. Millsap.

United Campaign—Order of the Day—E. C. Harrah, Conference Lay Leader, presided. Each of the District Superintendents reported concerning the progress made in their respective Districts toward the United Campaign objectives.

Commission on Displaced Persons—On motion the Bishop was requested to appoint a Commission to cooperate with the Governor's Committee on Displaced Persons. The Commission includes: Samuel W. Marble, A. P. Gaines, Guy E. Konkel, Laird V. Loveland, Leon H. Sweetland.

Ordination Service—The Secretary announced the details of the Ordination Service for Sunday afternoon.

Social Service Committee—Eugene D. Titsworth read the report of the Social Service Committee and on motion it was adopted, including the Committee's dissolution and delegation of its duties to the Committee on State of the Church. See Report.

Board of Evangelism—H. C. Alley presented the report of the Board of Evangelism and on motion it was adopted for editing and printing. See Report.

Announcements—Various announcements were made.

Negro Churches—Constitutional Change—On motion the Conference voted in favor of deletion of the words "and Arizona" from Paragraph 1784 of the 1944 Discipline, in order that the Negro work in Arizona shall not be included in the boundaries of the Central Jurisdiction.

Adjournment—Following benediction by A. R. Dennis the Conference adjourned.

Saturday, June 19, 1948, 2:30 P. M.

Devotions—A. E. Plummer led the Conference in prayer.

Insurance Committee—H. A. Hanke presented the report of the Insurance Committee and on motion it was adopted. See Report.

On motion the present Insurance Committee was continued with Samuel W. Marble as Chairman and H. A. Hanke as Executive Secretary.

Nominating Committee—A. P. Gaines presented the report of the Nominating Committee. Each Section was adopted and the report as a whole was adopted as presented and amended. See Boards, Commissions and Committees.

Question 38—E. I. Blevins was granted the Supernumerary Relations.

Auditing Committee—James W. Barrett, Chairman of the Conference Auditing Committee, presented the report and it was received and ordered edited and printed.

On motion the action in Thursday's Proceedings, Question 3(a), was reconsidered and amended to read that the following Treasurer's Accounts must be audited by a Certified Public Accountant: Conference Treasurer, Methodist Pension Fund, Inc., United Campaign Fund; and that all other accounts may be audited by the Conference Auditing Committee.

American Bible Society—On motion the report of the American Bible Society was adopted and ordered edited and printed.

Accepted Supply Pastors—The name of Warren Briggs was added to the list of Accepted Supplies by vote of the Conference.

Question 14(a)—On motion E. C. Harrah was elected Conference Lay Leader.

(e)—See Boards, Commissions and Committees.

Question 47—On motion the Conference accepted the invitation to Convene in Trinity Methodist Church, Denver, Colorado, for its 1949 Session.

Insurance Committee—On motion the Insurance Committee was authorized to assess each participant in the Group Insurance Program a sum of one dollar to defray necessary expenses.

Question 22—The Bishop, in accordance with the Discipline, received the following into Full Connection: L. G. Burris, David E. Cisneros, Arthur W. Frary, J. D. Keller, Robert R. Kessinger, LeRoy O. King, Kenneth D. Moore, Stowell Sandmeyer.

Announcements—Various announcements were made.

Adjournment—After prayer by John B. Payton the Conference adjourned.

Sunday, June 20, 1948, 3:30 P. M.

Ordination—The Secretary of the Conference presented Glenn R. Barber, George E. Fort, Carl J. Gray (Local), Dean M. Kelley, Robert R. Kessinger, LeRoy O. King, Thomas L. Kleen, Edward B. Lewis, Kenneth D. Moore, H. Earl

Morris, Jr., William Opitz, Joseph N. Uemura to be ordained Deacons. They were ordained Deacons by Bishop Wilbur E. Hammaker in accordance with the Discipline and Ritual of The Methodist Church.

The Secretary of the Conference presented David E. Cisneros, Arthur W. Frary, Kenneth H. Rice, Stowell Sandmeyer to be ordained Elders. They were ordained Elders by Bishop Wilbur E. Hammaker in accordance with the Discipline and Ritual of The Methodist Church.

Adjournment—Following the benediction by the Bishop the Conference adjourned.

Sunday, June 20, 1948, 7:45 P. M.

Sacred Concert—Musicians of the host church provided a program of vocal and instrumental sacred music.

Presentation to the Gilpins—Lester W. Edgett presented gifts to R. O. Gilpin and Mrs. Gilpin from the Colorado Springs-Pueblo District, in expression of appreciation for their efforts and friendship during five years of service on the District. Each of the Gilpins made appropriate responses.

Question 17—On motion the Conference added the names of G. G. Lyle and John E. Swords to the Accepted Supplies list.

Committee on Resolutions—O. Franklin Archer, Chairman, presented the report of the Committee on Resolutions and on motion it was adopted by a standing vote of the Conference.

Question 34—Austin J. McCoig from Memphis Conference as of August 1, 1948.

Question 35—Homer P. Bollinger to the Nebr. Conf. and Robert R. Kesinger to the Michigan Conference as of June 20, 1948.

Question 30(b)(1)—William M. Opitz to Southern Calif.-Arizona Conf. as of June 20, 1948.

Presentation to Bishop and Mrs. Hammaker—Samuel W. Marble, E. C. Harrah, L. A. Snively, James W. Barrett, R. B. Spencer presented gifts to Bishop and Mrs. Hammaker in expression of the love and high esteem of the ministers and laymen of the Conference and in appreciation of their service and leadership during their nine years in the episcopal residence. Bishop and Mrs. Hammaker each made appropriate response.

Question 50—The Bishop read the appointments. See list.

Adjournment—Following the singing of the hymn, "All Hail the Power of Jesus' Name," and benediction by the Bishop, the Conference adjourned.

CERTIFICATION

We do hereby certify that the foregoing is a correct copy of the Minutes of the Tenth Session of the Colorado Annual Conference of The Methodist Church and of the Eighty-sixth Session of the Colorado Annual Conference of the Methodist Episcopal Church, and by vote of the Conference the printed minutes were made the Official Journal thereof.

(Signed)

WILBUR E. HAMMAKER, President.

WARREN S. BAINBRIDGE, Secretary.

V. DISCIPLINARY QUESTIONS

Part I. Organization and General Business

1. Who are elected?
 Secretary: Warren S. Bainbridge, Boulder, Colo.
 Treasurer: M. Allen Keith, 1820 Broadway, Denver.
 Statistician: J. T. Bainbridge, Cheraw, Colo.
2. Is the Annual Conference incorporated? (§ 625.) Yes.
3. (a) What officers handling funds of the conference have been bonded and in what amounts? (§ 639.)

Conference Treasurer	\$10,000
Treasurer, Conference Board of Claimants.....	10,000
Treasurer, Board of Education.....	2,000
Treasurer, Board of Missions and Church Extension.....	5,000
Executive Secretary, Methodist Pension Fund, Inc.....	5,000
Treasurer, Pine Crest Association.....	10,000
Treasurer, Grand Mesa Institute.....	5,000
Treasurer, San Luis Valley Institute Commission.....	5,000
Treasurer, Brotherhood Fund.....	1,000
Treasurer, United Finance Campaign.....	5,000
Assistant Treasurer, United Finance Campaign.....	5,000
- (b) Have the books of said officers or persons been audited? (§ 630) Yes.
4. Have the boards, commissions, or committees been appointed or elected? (§ 630.)
 - (a) Board of Ministerial Training Yes.
 - (b) Committee on Conference Relations and Ministerial Qualifications? Yes.
 - (c) Committee on Accepted Supply Pastors? Yes.
 - (d) Committee of Investigation? Yes.
 - (e) District Boards of Location and Building? Yes.
 - (f) Board of Trustees of the Annual Conference? Yes.
 - (g) Annual Conference Commission on World Service and Finance? Yes.
 - (h) Town and Country Commission? Yes.
 - (i) Annual Conference Deaconess Board? No.
 - (j) Annual Conference Board of Missions and Church Extension? Yes.
 - (k) Annual Conference Board of Education? Yes.
 - (l) Annual Conference Board of Temperance? Yes.
 - (m) Annual Conference Board of Lay Activities? Yes.
 - (n) Annual Conference Board of Hospitals and Homes? No.
 - (o) Annual Conference Board of Evangelism? Yes.
 - (p) Distributing Committee? Yes.
 - (q) Annual Conference Board of Conference Claimants? Yes.
 - (r) Committees on Proportional Payment of Ministerial Support? No.
 - (s) Other committees, commissions, or boards? Yes.
5. Have the secretaries, treasurers, and statisticians kept their respective records upon and according to the forms prescribed by The Methodist Church? (§ 640.) Yes.
6. What are the reports of the district superintendents as to the status of the work within their districts? See report of District Superintendents.
7. What is the schedule for minimum support for pastors? (§ 806.) See the "Sustentation and Equitable Support" section of the report of the Commission on World Service and Finance.
8. What is the plan and what are the approved claims for the support of the district superintendents for the ensuing year? (§§ 788-89.) See report of the Commission on World Service and Finance.
9. What amount has been apportioned to the pastoral charges within the conference to be raised for the support of conference claimants? \$43,200.

10. What are the apportionments transmitted by the General Commission on World Service and Finance to this conference?

(a) For World Service? \$56,484.

(b) For Episcopal Fund? \$5,450, 1½ % pastor's salary for current year.

(c) For General Administration Fund? \$2,970.

11. What amount is apportioned to this conference for the Jurisdictional Administration Fund? \$845.

12. What are the reports, recommendations, and plans of the boards of conference:

(a) What is the report of the Board of Conference Claimants, and what appropriations for conference claimants are reported and approved? (§ 1623.) See report of Board of Conference Claimants.

(b) What is the report of the Conference Board of Missions and Church Extension of disbursements of missionary aid within the conference? (§§ 1283-86.) See report of Conference Board of Missions and Church Extension.

(c) What is the report of the Commission on World Service and Finance? (§§ 778-96.) See report of Commission on World Service and Finance.

(d) What are the other reports? See reports of Boards, Committees and Commissions of the Conference.

13. What date is determined for Golden Cross enrollment? (§ 1529.) None.

14. (a) Who is elected conference lay leader? (§ 1492.) E. C. Harrah.

(b) What is his report? See report of Conference Board of Lay Activities.

(c) Who are elected district lay leaders? (§§ 1497-98.)

James W. Barrett, Bernard I. Vessey, R. B. Spencer.

Part II. Pertaining to Ministerial Relations

15. Who constitute the Conference Committee of Investigation? (§ 931.) Dryden, L. C.; Edwards, John R.; Hanks, Vernon K.; Kephart, H. C.; McVicker, Roy H.; Alternates: Baker, Henry H.; Staniforth, Reuben.

16. Are there formulated complaints against any ministerial member of the conference? Answered in the negative, both of all regular members and accepted supplies.

17. Who are the accepted supply pastors? (§ 315)

Abernathy, John G. S.	Gleason, Dean Edwin	McConnell, Taylor
Bainbridge, J. T.	Gourley, W. R.	Millsap, John W.
Barnes, John	Gray, Carl	Moddelmog, Rebecca
Bartrug, John W.	Gray, Mrs. Carl	Mitchell, Charles
Bebermeyer, Martha	Harrup, Donald A.	Mounts, Horace
Benton, Mrs. Lorraine T.	Hansen, Mrs. E. M.	Parrot, S. E.
Bost, Carroll	Hatfield, C. H.	Nelson, Mrs. Lillian
Boyd, LeRoy	Hicks, Kenneth	Reid, William L.
Briggs, Warren	Howard, L. W.	Ruff, W. W.
Brown, Paul E.	Huntington, Harry	Sager, Fred C.
Burch, Sigurd E.	Hughes, H. H.	Schlabig, Ralph D.
Cornelison, W. C.	Jacobs, Lola	Skinner, John
Drew, Frank B.	Jury, John	Swords, John E.
Dussair, Vincent	Jensen, Norman L.	Taplin, Willis R.
Dynes, Willard	Kessinger, Robert	Templin, Harvey
Dibble, J. Robert	King, Orman C.	Tramel, T. J.
Fletcher, James	Kitchen, George E.	Velte, William R.
Finch, Roy R.	Lake, John Earl	Wedel, David
Frick, Jack	Lawton, Burke R.	White, Walter E.
Frey, Walter	Lewis, A. R.	Warner, Culver
Gibbons, A. W.	Lyle, G. G.	Willson, Irwin A.
Gibson, Ralph	Manwaring, Thomas	Wood, James

18. What accepted supply pastors now under full-time appointment are taking the conference course of study
 - (a) In the first year? Mounts, Horace H.
 - (b) In the second year? None.
 - (c) In the third year? Gray, Carl J.
 - (d) In the fourth year? Benton, Lorraine T.
19. Who are received on trial
 - (a) In studies of the first year? Martinez, Rafael V.; Oba, William I.
 - (b) In studies of the third year under the seminary rule? Barber, Glenn R.; Kleen, Thomas L.
 - (c) Exempt from course of study under the seminary rule? None.
20. Who remain on trial
 - (a) Continued in studies of the first year? Albertson, Robert G.; Bruning, Keith E.; Burnett, John W.; Nesmith, Raymond A.; Stephens, Floyd.
 - (b) Advanced to studies of the second year? Lewis, Earl E.; Pedraza, Roberto.
 - (c) Continued in studies of the second year? None.
21. Who on trial are discontinued? Cummins, Thomas W.; Freeman, P. Paul; Wade, John M.
22. Who are admitted into full connection? Cisneros, David E.; Frary, Arthur W.; Kessinger, Robert R.; King, LeRoy O.; Moore, Kenneth D.; Sandmeyer, Stowell.
23. What full members are in studies
 - (a) Of the third year? Keller, J. D.; King, LeRoy O.
 - (b) Of the fourth year? None.
24. What full members have failed to complete the studies (§ 346.)
 - (a) Of the third year? None.
 - (b) Of the fourth year? None.
25. What full members have completed the studies of the fourth year? Cisneros, David E.; Opitz, William; Rice, Kenneth D.; Sandmeyer, Stowell.
26. Who have been elected deacons
 - (a) As local preachers? Gray, Carl J.
 - (b) As members on trial in the course of study? None.
 - (c) Under the seminary rule? Barber, Glenn R.; Fort, George E.; Kelley, Dean M.; King, LeRoy O.; Kleen, Thomas L.; Moore, Kenneth D.; Morris, H. Earl Jr.; Opitz, William M.; Uemura, Joseph N.
 - (d) Under the missionary rule? None.
27. Who have been ordained deacons? Barber, Glenn R.; Fort, George E.; Gray, Carl J.; Kelley, Dean M.; Kessinger, Russell; King, LeRoy O.; Kleen, Thomas L.; Lewis, Edward Bradley; Moore, Kenneth D.; Morris, H. Earl Jr.; Opitz, William M.; Uemura, Joseph N.
28. Who have been elected elders
 - (a) As local preachers? None.
 - (b) As local deacons who have been received on trial? None.
 - (c) As conference members in the course of study? None.
 - (d) Under the seminary rule? Cisneros, David E.; Frary, Arthur W.; Rice, Kenneth D.; Sandmeyer, Stowell.
 - (e) Under the missionary rule? None.
29. Who have been ordained elders? Cisneros, David E.; Frary, Arthur W.; Rice, Kenneth D.; Sandmeyer, Stowell.
30. Relative to accommodation transfers for ordination and reception,
 - (a) Who are transferred in, and from what conferences, for purposes of ordination only, such ordination to be voted by this conference:
 - (1) For ordination as deacons? William M. Opitz, Southern California.
 - (2) For ordination as elders? None.

- (b) Who have been transferred out, and to what conferences, after ordination:
 (1) Deacons? None.
 (2) Elders? None.
- (c) Who have been received on trial at the request of another conference? None.
- (d) Who have been transferred, having been received on trial, and to what conference? None.
- (e) Who have been ordained here, such ordination having been voted by another conference:
 (1) Deacons? Robert R. Kessinger, Michigan Conference.
 (2) Elders? None.
31. Who are readmitted:
 (a) Deacons? None.
 (b) Elders? None.
32. What preachers, coming from other churches, have had their orders recognized (§ 411.)
 (a) As local deacons? None.
 (b) As local elders? None.
33. Who have been received from other churches as traveling preachers:
 (a) As ordained deacons? Keller, J. D.; Wesleyan Methodist Church of Ohio.
 (b) As ordained elders? Burris, L. G.; Evangelical-United Brethren Church of California.
 (c) As members on trial? None.
 (d) As members in full connection? Burris, L. G.; Keller, J. D.
34. Who have been received by transfer?
- | Name | Conference | Date |
|-----------------------|-----------------------------|---------------|
| Robison, Paul L., | Michigan | April 1, 1948 |
| Opitz, William M., | Southern California-Arizona | May 24, 1948 |
| Sandmeyer, Stowell, | Southern California-Arizona | June 1, 1948 |
| Wisehart, Willis C., | Central Kansas | June 10, 1948 |
| McFadden, William, | Wyoming State | June 12, 1948 |
| Benham, Wilbur M., | West Oklahoma | June 15, 1948 |
| Briggs, Warren L., | Missouri | June 16, 1948 |
| Wampler, Walter C., | Montana State | June 17, 1948 |
| Kessinger, Robert R., | Michigan | June 18, 1948 |
35. Who have been transferred out?
- | Name | Conference | Date |
|-----------------------|-----------------------------|----------------|
| Stubbs, Arthur C., | Central Kansas | April 1, 1948 |
| Rowe, Charles R., | Southern California-Arizona | Sept. 15, 1948 |
| Smith, Merideth P., | New England | April 1, 1948 |
| Littrell, Donald R., | Nebraska | June 1, 1948 |
| Halbert, Richard E., | Wyoming State | June 13, 1948 |
| Treman, Arthur R., | Oregon | June 17, 1948 |
| Lathrop, Arman, | Oregon | June 18, 1948 |
| Bollinger, Homer P., | Nebraska | June 20, 1948 |
| Kessinger, Robert R., | Michigan | June 20, 1948 |
| Opitz, William M., | Southern California-Arizona | June 20, 1948 |
36. Who have had their conference membership terminated
 (a) By voluntary location? Castorena, Casiano A.; Par. 375.
 (b) By involuntary location? None.
 (c) By withdrawal? None.
 (d) By judicial procedure (expelled)? None.
37. What ministerial members have died during the year? Adams, R. R.; Blackstock, W. E.; Ellis, G. W.

38. Who are the supernumerary ministers, and for what number of years consecutively has each held this relation? (§ 365.)

Name	Number of Years
Absher, W. L.-----	5
Babcock, Norman Paul-----	2
Blevins, E. I.-----	1
Defandorf, Clark S.-----	6
DuBois, Anson M.-----	8
Jenkinson, E. J.-----	4
Kongable, Albert L.-----	1

39. Who are granted sabbatical leave? (§ 364.) Tweedy, I. O.; Blevins, E. I.

40. What ministers have been retired

(a) This year? Dryden, L. C.; Edwards, John R.; Hall, A. W.; Kephart, H. C.; Sager, F. C.; Wentworth, Charles.

(b) Previously?

Ahrens, H. F.	Gibbons, A. W.	Morris, H. R.
Auman, Orrin W.	Griffin, P. D.	Morrison, Arthur
Bainbridge, J. T.	Grimm, William S.	Mundell, C. S.
Beckman, C. O.	Habgood, M. T.	Payton, J. B.
Brace, E. E.	Hatfield, Charles H.	Pingree, H. M.
Brand, John	Henderson, G. M.	Ross, B. F.
Bryans, Alexander C.	Hills, Roy O.	Scott, W. T.
Butler, E. L.	Horton, A. B.	Spencer, Paul M.
Chestnutt, Jay L.	Inman, C. H.	Stone, N. R.
Cooper, C. M.	Kaub, Louis H.	Templin, Harvey M.
Coulter, J. T.	Keith, M. Allen	Tinney, William E.
Dean, Jesse A.	Kendall, David E.	Tramel, Thomas J.
Edgerton, E. N.	Kitchen, George E.	Waller, A. J.
Edwards, F. E.	Kreuger, F. T.	Wasser, W. C.
Eldridge, John M.	Large, Ross L.	Watson, James V.
Elfeldt, Herman C.	Longacre, L. B.	Winterbourne, John
Flynn, John M.	Miller J. T.	

41. Who are left without appointment to attend school?

Name	School	Quarterly Conference Membership
Albertson, Robert	Garrett	First Church, Colo. Springs
Barney, Glen		Fleming
Brownell, John		St. Paul's, Colo. Springs
Hall, William		Montclair
King, LeRoy O.	Garrett	Washington Park, Denver
Lindley, T. Foster		Hotchkiss
Milligan, Charles S.	Harvard	Paonia

42. What is the number of

(a) Pastoral Charges? 207; accepted supply pastors? 66; transfers in? 9; transfers out? 9; received from other churches? 2; deceased? 3.

(b) Ministers

(1) On trial

(a) As pastors? ----- 16
 (b) Under special appointment? ----- 1
 (c) Left without appointment to attend school? ----- 2

(2) In full connection

(a) As pastors and district superintendents? ----- 130
 (b) Under special appointment? ----- 20
 (c) Left without appointment to attend school? ----- 4
 (d) On sabbatical leave? ----- 2

(3) Retired? ----- 54

(4) Supernumerary? ----- 7

(c) Total of all ministers? ----- 236

43. What other personal notation should be made?
- (1) Lewis, Edward B., was ordained a Deacon on vote of the Baltimore Conference.
 - (2) The Central Kansas Conference was asked to reinstate J. W. Millsap in order that he may be transferred to the Colorado Conference.
 - (3) The transfer of Walter G. Williams was corrected to read as of June 1, 1947, to conform with the record of the Northeast Ohio Conference.
 - (4) John W. Brownell was removed from Supernumerary Roll and made effective.
 - (5) Abernathy, John R., was received On Trial and advanced to Studies of the Second Year.
 - (6) Pedraza, Roberto, was continued On Trial for the Third Year previously having been graduated from the Conference Course of Study.
 - (7) Rentfro, William E., was continued On Trial for the Fourth Year, previously having been graduated from the Conference Course of Study.
 - (8) The following were continued On Trial for the Second Year and advanced to Studies of the Third Year: Fort, George E.; Green, Cecil B.; Kelley, Dean M.; Mindt, Erwin E.; Morris, H. Earl Jr.; Scarffe, Albert W.; Uemura, Joseph N.

Part III. Concluding Business

44. What is the report of the conference treasurer? See report of Conference Treasurer.
45. What is the report of the conference statistician? See report of Conference Statistician.
46. What are the detailed objectives of this conference for the coming year? See Denver Area Program.
47. Where shall the next session of the conference be held? Trinity Methodist Church, Denver, Colorado.
48. Is there any other business? No.
49. What changes have been made in appointments since last Annual Conference session? See 1947 Journal.
50. Where are the preachers stationed for the ensuing year? [See list of appointments.] ,

VI. APPOINTMENTS OF COLORADO CONFERENCE

A copy of the appointments is filed with the Clergy Bureau of Chicago and reference need only be made to these pages by applicant. All names found here are to be found in the General Directory.

Ministers' names in parenthesis are Probationers or Supplies.

Every Retired Minister is held in honor as Pastor Emeritus of every charge he ever served and in his retirement he is to be given the place of honored precedent. He has a seat and a vote in the Quarterly Conference where he resides. He is supported by the whole church.

PASTORS EMERITUS

Watson, James V.	'18	Payton, J. B.	'40
Grim, William S.	'20	Pingree, H. M.	'40
Chase, Augustus L.	'24	Hills, Roy O.	'41
Cooper, Charles M.	'26	Mundell, C. S.	'41
Brand, John	'27	Coulter, J. T.	'41
Elfeldt, Herman C.	'27	Large, Ross L.	'41
Dixon, Micah P.	'29	Kendall, David E.	'41
Kreuger, F. T.	'31	Edgerton, E. N.	'42
Dean, Jesse L.	'33	Longacre, Lindsay B.	'42
Ross, Benjamin F.	'33	Bryans, Alexander, Sr.	'44
Wasser, Wm. Campbell	'33	Habgood, M. T.	'44
Butler, Elmer L.	'34	Hatfield, Charles H.	'44
Morrison, Arthur	'34	Spencer, Paul M.	'44
Scott, William T.	'34	Auman, O. W.	'45
Ahrens, H. F.	'35	Edwards, F. E.	'45
Griffin, P. D.	'35	Flynn, John M.	'45
Horton, A. B.	'35	Miller, J. T.	'45
Winterbourne, John	'35	Bainbridge, J. T.	'46
Eldridge, John M.	'36	Jordan, John	'46
Henderson, G. M.	'36	Kaub, Louis H.	'46
Inman, Clyde H.	'36	Keith, M. Allen	'46
Tinney, W. E.	'36	King, Orman C.	'46
Morris, Herbert R.	'37	Lawton, Burke R.	'46
Trammel, Thomas J.	'37	Fletcher, James W.	'47
Templin, Harvey M.	'38	Morton, Ira A.	'47
Waller, A. J.	'38	Dryden, L. C.	'48
Waller, W. D.	'38	Edwards, John R.	'48
Beckman, C. O.	'39	Hall, A. W.	'48
Brace, E. E.	'39	Kephart, H. C.	'48
Kitchen, G. E.	'39	Sager, Fred C.	'48
Stone, N. R.	'39	Wentworth, Charles E.	'48

COLORADO SPRINGS-PUEBLO DISTRICT

Samuel L. Maxwell, Superintendent (1)

Charge	Pastor	Yrs.	Charge	Pastor	Yrs.
Alamosa	Clare J. Hayes	4	Florence	F. A. Napier	4
Beulah	(W. C. Cornelison) 1		Fountain	(J. Robert Dibble) ..	1
Blanca-Mesita- San Acacio	(Willard Dynes)	1	Fowler	J. Paul Morgan	2
Bowen	(Thomas Manwaring) 4		Gardner	Lloyd O. Barnett	3
Bristol-Hartman- Granada	E. I. Seden	3	Hoehne	(Vincent Dussair) ..	1
Canon City	B. J. Eitelgeorge	5	Holly	Eugene Titsworth	3
Calhan-Yoder	(George E. Fort)	1	La Junta	Leon H. Sweetland ..	7
Center	R. W. Drummond	4	Lamar	J. Graydon Wilson	2
Cheraw	(J. T. Bainbridge) 10		Las Animas	M. B. Beattie	5
Colorado Springs: First	C. E. Albertson	8	La Veta	(C. H. Hatfield)	5
St. Paul's	(W. R. Gourley)	1	Leader-Edison	Kenneth Smith	2
Trinity	H. C. Alley	3	Manzanola	J. R. Blevins	4
Wesley	Kenneth Smith	2	Mosca	Clare J. Hayes	4
Cripple Creek	(O. C. King)	1	Monte Vista	H. A. Critchett	3
Del Norte	(G. G. Lyle)	1	Olney Springs	A. W. Lenz	1
Eads-Haswell	J. R. Jones	3	Ordway	Henry M. Merkel	3
			Pitkin-Ohio City	To Be Supplied	
			Pueblo: Bethel	Rowland Hill	12

Charge	Pastor	Yrs.	Charge	Pastor	Yrs.
First	William E. Bell	12	Springfield-Pritchett	Lester W. Edgett	3
Goodwill Inds.	Russell S. Jones	1	Sugar City	Henry M. Merkel	3
Northern Avenue	Donald J. Grooters	6	Swink	(John W. Millsap)	3
St. Paul's	T. B. McDivitt	4	Towner-Brandon	(Keith Bruning)	2
Trinity	B. B. Byus	4	Trinidad	Ranold F. Plott	1
Rock Creek	To Be Supplied		Vineland-Avondale	(Frank B. Drew)	1
Rocky Ford	F. A. McDaniels	3	Walsenburg	Allen N. Talla	1
Roswell	(Paul E. Brown)	3	Walsh-Two Buttes- Stonington	Willis C. Wisehart	1
Rye	(John W. Burnett)	2	Westcliffe	(William L. Reid)	1
Salida	Cecil Simpson	5	West Four Mile	(James Fletcher)	2
Saguache	(Albert W. Scarffe)	1	Wiley-McClave	R. E. Scarffe	5
So. Colo. Spanish Mission	To Be Supplied		Dist. Missionary Secy.	B. J. Eitelgeorge	2

DENVER-GRAND JUNCTION DISTRICT

Rufus C. Baker, Superintendent (4)

Charge	Pastor	Yrs.	Charge	Pastor	Yrs.
Arvada	R. L. Henry	2	Warren	Lowell B. Swan	2
Aspen-Basalt	To Be Supplied		Assistant		
Austin	C. F. Ault	2	Washington Park	R. O. Gipin	1
Castle Rock	(Roy R. Finch)	1	Director of Rel. Activities	Stowell Sandmeyer	1
Cedaredge	C. F. Ault	3	Wesley	L. W. Coffman	13
Clifton	Roy O. Gaither	3	West Side Parish	(M. Bebermeyer)	2
Cortez	Arthur Frary	3	Wheat Ridge	Harold I. Woolard	3
Crawford	To Be Supplied		Dolores-Lewis	George A. Turner	2
Delta	Harold Knudson	2	Dove Creek-Fairview	(Earl Lake)	3
DeBeque	(R. Modellmog)	2	Durango	Homer E. Root	19
Denver:			Eagle-Gypsum	Paul Shields	4
Asbury	L. George Pimlott	2	Fruita	(Norman Jensen)	1
Bethany	(Erwin Mindt)	2	Glenwood Springs- Carbondale	Henry H. Baker	7
Berkeley	(R. R. Kessinger)	2	Golden	L. Gerald Burris	1
Cameron	Otto C. Domer	12	Grand Junction	A. P. Gaines	4
Christ	H. H. Potthoff	14	Grand Junction Goodwill	William Bowden	5
Edgewater	Reuben Staniforth	7	Grand Valley- Morrisania	(R. Modellmog)	2
Emmanuel	J. Richard Palmer	5	Hotchkiss-Lazeur	Gile V. Wilson	2
Englewood	R. Jay Wilson	6	Littleton	Hubert Wubben	1
Epworth & Goodwill Inds.	Walter C. Loague	3	Mancos	(J. R. Abernethy)	2
Associate Pastor	(Kenneth Hicks)	1	Meeker	(Walter E. Frey)	2
Associate	(Roberto Pedraza)	1	Marvel	(J. G. S. Abernethy)	1
Assistant	(W. E. Rentfro)	2	Mesa	(Mrs. Lilian Nelson)	1
Grace	Kenneth Sausaman	4	Montrose	Claude Kinsley	2
Grant Avenue	George Berry	4	Norwood	(Fred C. Sager)	2
Highlands	M. L. Jackson	3	Olathe	(William E. Frary)	1
Jefferson Avenue	(Dean E. Gleason)	3	Palisade	Paul Habliston	3
John Collins	(Sigurd Burch)	1	Pagosa Springs	(Henry H. Hughes)	2
Lakewood	H. P. Childress	8	Paonia	Willis C. Phelps	3
Merritt	(W. R. Vette)	4	Parker	Glenn R. Barber	2
Montclair	C. V. Graham	3	Rifle	Minar A. Gerrard	1
Assistant	(Horace Mounts)		Ridgway	(Carl Gray)	3
Park Hill	A. E. Williams	3	Trailer Pastor	(John E. Swords)	1
Simpson	H. A. Hanke	3	Dist. Missionary Secy.	R. Jay Wilson	2
Spanish Church	David Cisneros	3	Assistant	Willis Phelps	3
Assistant	(M. Bebermeyer)	1	Hospital Visitor	Glen R. Barber	2
St. Paul's	C. O. Thibodeau	10			
Trinity	S. W. Marble	10			
University Park	Alexander Bryans	5			
Associate	(Chas. Mitchell)	2			

GREELEY DISTRICT

John L. Spargo, Superintendent (4)

Charge	Pastor	Yrs.	Charge	Pastor	Yrs.
Akron-Platner	Frank E. Dawson	6	Fleming-New Haven	Kenneth H. Rice	1
Arapahoe	(Mrs. L. Benton)	5	Fort Collins	Henry L. Weiss	6
Armel	T. J. Tramel	2	Associate	(Lola Jacobs)	2
Boulder-Wesley Foundation	W. S. Bainbridge	4	Fort Lupton	O. Franklin Archer	6
Associate	William C. Tremmel	2	Fort Morgan	L. Edwin Cooke	4
Breckenridge	John S. Jury	1	Greeley-Wesley Foundation	Ben H. Christner	1
Brighton	Claude E. Copley	2	Associate	(Warren L. Briggs)	2
Broomfield	James Wood	2	Haxtun-Highland Center	Paul K. Corley	3
Brush	W. R. Burnett	2	Hillrose	(Willis R. Taplin)	1
Burlington	Henry C. Beatty	4	Holyoke	Louis A. Haruf	3
Central City	John E. Skinner	2	Howard	Thomas Franks	3
Cheyenne Wells	William J. Willcox	1	Hudson	(Irwin Wilson)	1
Eaton	(John W. Bartrug)	2	Hugo-Boyero	William Pepper	7
Erie	Earl E. Lewis	3	Hygiene	(Harry Huntington)	3
Evans	(S. E. Parrott)	4			

Charge	Pastor	Yrs.	Charge	Pastor	Yrs.
Jamestown	(Ralph Gibson)	1	Oak Creek	(Dean Kelley)	3
Silver Plume-Idaho			Ovid	(Walter E. White)	1
Springs-Central City	(John E. Skinner)	2	Paoli-Epworth	(David C. Wedel)	1
Johnstown	To Be Supplied		Platteville	(Thomas L. Kleen)	3
Julesburg	R. R. Bauer	1	Rinn Community	Ralph D. Schlabin	1
Keenesburg	M. R. Hinds	3	Sedgwick	George E. Kitchen	1
Keota	(S. E. Parrott)	3	Snyder-Antelope		
Kersey	(L. W. Howard)	6	Springs	(Jack Frick)	2
Kit Carson	(A. R. Lewis)	1	Steamboat Springs	Alfred Carlyon	5
Kremmling	(John Barnes)	2	Sterling	Guy E. Konkel	7
Leadville	(John S. Jury)	1	Vernon	A. D. Wilson	2
Lafayette-Louisville	(W. H. Ruff)	1	Walden	Walter E. Brunner	4
Laird	(Earl Morris, Jr.)	2	Wiggins	L. Edwin Cooke	4
Limon	Thomas Franks	3	Willard	(A. J. Wagner)	1
Longmont	Gabriel S. Upton	2	Windsor	Vernon K. Hanks	2
Loveland	A. E. Plummer	1	Wray	K. Orlando Lee	2
Lyons-Grace	(J. D. Keller)	2	Yuma	Kenneth D. Moore	1
Merino-Atwood	(Wilbur Benham)	2	Pierce	Cecil B. Green	2
No. Colo. Spanish			Dist. Miss. onary Secy.	Henry L. Weiss	3
Mission	(Raphael Martinez)	1			

UTAH MISSION APPOINTMENTS

Walter C. Wampler, Superintendent (2)

McGill, Nevada	J. H. Stewart (4)
Ogden	D. Atwood Bird (2)
Price	Wm. McFadden (1)
Salt Lake City:	
Centenary	Paul L. Robison (1)
First	Laird V. Loveland (2)
Grace	A. R. Dennis (13)
Liberty Park	E. H. Hoffman (4)
Tremonton	Floyd Stephens (2)

Special Notation: Due to the action of the Western Jurisdictional Conference making the Utah Mission a part of the Salt Lake City District of the Colorado Conference, Walter C. Wampler becomes the Superintendent of said district which will include all former charges in the Utah Mission and seven charges in the Colorado Conference, i.e., Cortez, Dolores-Lewis, Dove Creek-Fairview, Durango, Mancos, Marvel, Pagosa Springs.

Also, the following charges of the Greeley District become a part of the Denver-Grand Junction District: Kremmling, Oak Creek, Steamboat Springs, Walden.

SPECIAL APPOINTMENTS

(Par. 1618, Art. 5, Sec. 4)

- With Annuity Claim Upon This Conference:
 - Dawson, L. G.: Executive Secretary, Methodist Pension Fund.
 - McVicker, R. H.: Executive Secretary, Colorado Conference Board of Education.
 - Pond, Clifton R.: Chaplain, Veteran's Administration.
 - Uemura, Joe: Member Staff of Executive Secretary, Colorado Conference Board of Education.
 - Williams, Ben T.: Chaplain, Veteran's Administration.
- With Annuity Claim on a General Board, and Institution, or an Agency of The Methodist Church:
 - Bauman, Ezra: Division of Foreign Mission, Board of Missions and Church Extension.
 - Cox, Ezra M.: Division of Home Missions, Board of Missions and Church Extension.
 - Hoover, A. C.: Statistical Bureau, The Methodist Church.
 - Houser, Otto H.: Division of Foreign Missions, Board of Missions and Church Extension.
 - Lowe, Alton E.: Division of Home Missions, Board of Missions and Church Extension.
 - Snider, Phillip E.: Division of Home Missions, Board of Missions and Church

Extension.

(3) Without Annuity Claim upon this Annual Conference:

Bartlett, Edward R.: President, Iliff School of Theology.

Blevins, E. I.: Professor, Pfeiffer Junior College.

Brown, Chas. E.: Chaplain, U. S. Army.

Brush, Francis W.: Professor, University of Denver.

Elzey, W. Clark: Professor, Stephens College.

Gilmore, H. M.: Executive Secretary, Colorado Council of Churches and Religious Education.

Houser, Geo M.: Fellowship of Reconciliation.

Orr, Ray: Professor, Berea College.

Smith, Houston C.: Professor, George Washington University.

Sikes, Walter E.: Professor, University of Denver.

Williams, Walter G.: Professor, Iliff School of Theology.

West, Richard E.: American Bible Society.

LEFT WITHOUT APPOINTMENT TO ATTEND SCHOOL

Albertson, Robert: First Church, Colorado Springs Quarterly Conference.

Barney, Glen: Fleming Quarterly Conference.

Hall, William: Montclair Quarterly Conference.

Lindley, T. Foster: Hotchkiss Quarterly Conference.

Milligan, Charles S.: Paonia Quarterly Conference.

King, LeRoy O.: Washington Park Quarterly Conference.

DEACONESS APPOINTMENTS

Martha Bebermeyer, Spanish Church, Denver; Carrie Miller, Trinity Church, Denver.

AN
ADVANCE PROGRAM
in
The Denver Area
of
The Methodist Church
1947-1948

Bishop Wilbur E. Hammaker, Bishop of the Area



To consolidate the gains already made in the many phases of the program of the Methodist Church during the Crusade for Christ, and that we may continue to move forward, we are now launched upon **An Advance Program** of the Church.

Methodism has never turned a deaf ear to the needs of her day. In this present critical hour in world experience we call upon the people known as Methodists to once again pour out their talents and their resources for God and the advancement of His Kingdom throughout the world.

The Area Planning Conference, which met in Casper, Wyoming, March 30th and 31st, after careful deliberation and study, decided upon the emphases herein stated, as the major goals to be established in our Churches this year.

I. Continuing the Crusade Emphasis on Christian Education in the Church School.

A. Achieving the goals in each Local Church for the remainder of the Crusade for Christ period.

1. Pursuing plans adopted by General and Annual Conference Boards of Education.
2. Using printed materials, recordings, films and other new aids.
3. Initiating other worthy enterprises and activities designed to meet specific needs in Local Churches as approved by the Board of Education.

B. Methodist people have developed a concern for evangelistic education in Conferences and Local Churches during the Crusade for Christ, which should be continued through:

1. Understanding and promotion of the program of Christian Educa-

- tion as a part of the total program of the Conferences, Districts and Local Churches.
 2. Continuing effort to reach the unchurched.
 3. Continued improvement of leadership.
 4. Continued emphasis on broadening the time, effort and activities of the teaching work of the church in reaching all age groups.
 5. Use of the forthcoming materials designed to develop a more informed and consecrated Church.
- C. The Extension Program of Christian Education as promoted in sections of our area is recommended for study and possible adoption in other parts of the area.

II. The Youth Program.

- A. The vitality of the Youth Work of the Methodist Church is manifest to all. A striking evidence of this was found in the great Cleveland Conference, held from December 30, 1947, to January 2, 1948. Each Conference, District and Local Church should launch a program worthy of the theme, "Christ Above All." A high level of Youth Work may be attained by:
1. A program of enlistment and training of youth.
 2. The organization of the work of the Local Church according to age levels.
 3. The enlistment and training of consecrated leadership.
 4. The participation by youth in adoption of and, execution of the program of the Church.
 5. The stimulation of the interest of youth through study of the benevolent work of the church and the Methodist Youth Fund, the Student Fund and other offerings.
 6. The enlistment of Youth for Life Service.

III. The Christian Family.

"The family is the foundation of human fellowship."

Inasmuch as we believe the family to be the corner-stone of society and now in danger of disintegration, we therefore emphasize the Church's major responsibility to minister to the family as a basic unit in her program.

- A. We urge our Pastors:
1. To recognize their high responsibility as spiritual guides.
 2. To make themselves available in the homes of our people as physicians of the soul.
 3. To do everything possible to encourage people to call upon them in times of spiritual need just as they turn to the medical doctor in times of physical disability.
- B. Some specific steps to implement the Ministry of the Church to the Family:
1. A planned program of visitation, by special appointment and otherwise, by the Pastor in ALL of the homes of his membership for the purpose of guidance and nurture in the Christian Way of Life.
 2. A planned program of visitation in ALL of the homes of the Constituency of his charge for the purpose of winning these persons to Christ and enlisting them in the membership of the Church and its program, and baptizing the children of these homes.
 3. The District Superintendents and the Executive Secretaries of the Boards of Education should set up training conferences for ministers on a District, Sub-District basis. In these conferences there shall be a program for guidance of families in Christian growth, and in the use of the "Unit Plan" in home visitation and acquaintances with the materials and resources available in these areas.

4. There shall be follow-up conferences in the local churches to train picked laymen to assist in the promotion and carrying out of this program.
- C. Each Church shall establish a program which will meet the needs of all age groups, with emphasis and activities suitable to each group, providing also for an over-all fellowship. Such planning may include:
 1. A program for the Pastor, including pre-marital counseling; interest in wedding arrangements; active interest in identifying the prospective bride and groom with the church; visitation in their new home; giving special attention if and when a first child is born; manifest a desire to baptize the babe.
 2. Classes for parents, where definite consideration will be given to their problems.
 3. Instruction of youth regarding the value of Christian friends; the desirability of establishing a Christian home and the problems arising in marriages with adherents to other religions than the Protestant interpretation of the Christian faith.
 4. The Nursery Department carefully organized to contact and give assistance in the homes and lives of young parents.
 5. The visitation of mothers of new-born babies and small children through an additional responsibility of the Home Department, or committee from the Woman's Society of Christian Service, or the Nursery Department of the Church School. This ministry shall include the use of our regular materials, the "Upper Room" and especially, "The Christian Home."
 6. Helping families in establishing some form of family worship through use of "The Upper Room" and other such resources.
 7. The use of the "Parish Cultivation Plan" as sponsored by "The Upper Room" as one means of establishing a family altar in every home. This plan will not replace but supplement the work of pastoral visitation.

IV. World Service and Benevolences.

To meet the desperate needs of our troubled world, a new and vital interest in the World Service program is needed. An increase in our giving to support these projects is necessary to meet the many calls, and offset the shortages caused by the devaluation of the dollar.

In accordance with the Disciplinary provision of the Church, we recommend that every member and interested constituent of each church shall be solicited by personal visitation for pledges to World Service and the Local Budget. This canvass, with its educational program, is to be made within the last sixty days of the fiscal year of the Local Church.

The District Superintendent is to counsel with each pastor concerning the carrying out of this canvass in the Local Church.

It is recommended that there be a World Service Budget, as well as a Local Church Budget; that pledges be secured for each and separate treasuries be maintained wherever possible. In no case are World Service funds to be used for any other purpose. All funds shall be remitted as directed by the Quarterly Conference, with monthly remittances of the full amount received. Where a unified budget is maintained the full pro-rata share of the World Service is to be sent in each month.

A. Benevolence Education and Cultivation.

Because of a growing demand from prospective donors concerning opportunities for special gifts to missionary and benevolence causes, we recommend that the Commission on World Service and Finance in each Annual Conference and Mission Conference make available, through the District Superintendent, information concerning these causes and opportunities. Such a plan

was emphasized by the General Conference as part of Methodism's New Advance Movement.

To undergird and support our benevolences there shall be a program of education carried on as outlined in the Discipline for observance of the fourth Sunday in the Local Church, by:

1. The presentation by a layman or the pastor of a special cause of the Missionary and Benevolence program during the worship service.
2. The pointing up of the ministry of Missions through illustration and reference in sermons.
3. Short dramatic presentations.
4. The observance of Missionary teaching and the receiving of an offering in the Church School.
5. Distribution of Missionary Literature.

To implement this program the Boards and Committees of the Local Church representing the General Boards and Agencies, shall be organized and activated to carry on a vital educational program in the Local Church, and to promote and create interest in, and contributions to the World Service and Benevolence causes.

V. Temperance.

Methodism is truly "coming alive" in this highly important area of our American life. As a people we are evidencing a new realization of the vast issues involved. "Commitment Day" February 15th was a great success. So significant was it that the General Conference unanimously, and without questioning, designated the First Sunday of Lent in each year of the Quadrennium as Commitment Day to be observed by all our Churches. The Council of Bishops at Atlantic City on April 20th adopted a ringing appeal to the people called Methodists to make the Day even more meaningful in 1949 than it was in 1948.

VI. Stewardship.

The Organized Laymen of the Church have become profoundly interested in Christian Stewardship. In the Crusade for Christ they manifested real concern for a stewardship experience in every church and in the mind and heart of every member. The good work so well begun must be carried forward and onward and upward in this new Quadrennium.

VII. The Woman's Society of Christian Service.

I. The Woman's Society of Christian Service recommends that pastors and Conference officers of the Society continue their efforts to organize a standard Woman's Society in every local church or charge.

II. Certain qualifications for membership in the Woman's Society of Christian Service are set up in the by-laws of the Woman's Division. In order that we may have a more accurate membership record we ask that pastors acquaint the women of the church with these provisions and that they urge their participation in the program of the Woman's Division.

III. Believing that education and stimulation of interest in missions will benefit every group, we urge the Woman's Society of Christian Service to cooperate fully in the promotion of the missionary program as set up in the Area Planning Conference.

IV. In view of the desperate need in the world, every local society should be made more conscious of its own responsibility for alleviation of suffering so that a larger proportion of its total budget may be designated for others.

V. We further recommend that our women make every attempt to direct conversations into channels of peace and good will; that they pray daily for National and International leaders to direct us in the ways of peace.

VIII. The Official Quadrennial Plan.

The General Conference is giving to the Church "An Advance Program" for the Quadrennium. It is worthy of note that it is in a general way parallel to what was worked out by your Area Council. It deals with Our Faith, Our Church, Our Ministry, Our Mission. As its details are unfolded, they can be worked into the program recommended by your Area Council.

IX. Calendar of Activities.

We recommend that each Conference have a Calendar Committee, made up of the District Superintendents, Presidents of the Woman's Society of Christian Service, and Youth Fellowships, Lay Leader, Executive Secretary of the Board of Education, and the Board of Missions, and representatives of Conference and Church institutions, and the Executive Secretary of the State Council of Churches. This committee to outline, print and distribute a Conference Calendar as soon as possible after the meeting of the Annual Conference.

VII. REPORTS

(a.) District Superintendents' Joint Report

Bishop Hammaker, Members and Friends of the Colorado Conference:

Long has been the custom that we shall hear at the opening of each Annual Conference Session, a report from the District Superintendents. From the beginning of this custom, lasting through the years, there has been half a joke, seasoned with much sincerity that these reports should be noted for their brevity. But this demand has fallen upon deaf ears. Perhaps the answer lies in the fact of the district superintendent's intimate knowledge of the many churches of the Colorado Conference and his passionate concern for their future.

When we stand at the end of a Conference year, we are aware of the inadequacy of what has been done as over and against the opportunities that have been ours. Not enough of worth has been accomplished, and yet there is enough to make us proud to present our reports. Doing so, however, we are aware that such reports shall be meaningful only insofar as they shall cause us to face directly toward the opportunities and responsibilities that lie ahead. This we shall do in a hope and determination that we shall build a stronger church against a day of a stronger evil.

The ministerial family is one of the unique units of our society. It is indeed a brotherhood. It is a fellowship divine. We come and we go and this year has been no exception. The reaper has taken his toll, but likewise the stork has been busy, too.

BIRTHS: Denver-Grand Junction District:

- A daughter to the Rev. and Mrs. Robert Kessinger, Berkeley, Denver.
- A son to the Rev. and Mrs. Paul Habliston, Palisade, Colo.
- A son to the Rev. and Mrs. Harold Knudsen, Delta, Colo.
- A daughter to the Rev. and Mrs. Willis Phelps, Paonia, Colo.

BIRTHS: Greeley District

- A daughter to the Rev. and Mrs. Henry Beatty, Burlington, Colo.
- A son to the Rev. and Mrs. William C. Tremmel, Boulder, Colo.
- A daughter to the Rev. and Mrs. Kenneth Moore, Lafayette-Louisville, Colo.
- A son to the Rev. and Mrs. Glenn Barney, Fleming-New Haven, Colo.

BIRTHS: Colorado Springs-Pueblo District

- A son to the Rev. and Mrs. Eugene Titsworth, Holly, Colo.
- A son to the Rev. and Mrs. Hersh R. Bauer, Walsenburg, Colo.
- A daughter to the Rev. and Mrs. Keith Bruning, Towner, Colo.
- A son to the Rev. and Mrs. Kenneth Smith, Wesley, Colorado Springs.
- A son to the Rev. and Mrs. John W. Burnett, Rye, Colo.

We congratulate these fond parents and join with them in a hearty wish for everything that is good.

DEATHS: The Reverend R. R. Adams, The Reverend W. E. Blackstock, and The Reverend George W. Ellis. **DEATHS (Ministers' Wives):** Mrs. George Avery, Mrs. C. G. Coulter, Mrs. W. S. Grimm, and Mrs. C. B. Spencer.

We shall live in pleasant and fruitful memories of these who have gone from us and share deeply with those whom they have left.

A CHURCH IN THE AFTERMATH OF WAR:

Our church still struggles in the aftermath of war. Immediately upon the close of the recent world war, we began to face about in an effort to adjust our social, economic, and religious life. We found this to be a most difficult task. We had won a war, but still we must struggle to win a peace, in which all human relationships shall be more properly adjusted and the Church of God shall have its rightful chance. Although the smoke of yesterday's battle has not cleared and the clouds of a new threat hang over us, we shall still rest our hopes for a peaceful world in a sure and steadfast confidence in the stabilizing forces of the Christian religion and pledge ourselves to a renewed loyalty to the accomplishment of its purposes. God will go before us. We must not fail him

nor man. Through His Church we shall find our way. Methodism as one of the great bodies of Christendom has not, neither will she fail to give an answer to the question of a confused world. . . . Which way out? This answer will be in the form of vision, program, men, and money as our share in the total readjustment processes of the world.

METHODISM IS ON THE MARCH!

At the beginning of the quadrennium, the Council of Bishops and the General Secretaries gave to us one of the most timely and comprehensive programs of our day. It called for definite and concentrated activity at four of the major growing points of the Church. The first year we set ourselves to the task of raising \$25,000,000. The second year we went into the field of evangelism. The third year was that of stewardship emphasis. The fourth was an effort to increase the Church School enrollment and efficiency of program. In all of these areas we succeeded well.

The Crusade for Christ Quadrennium is now passing, but the General Conference has spoken again. Closely fitted into the Crusade program comes another attack at four points of major interest in the Church. The Quadrennium Program as outlined by the General Conference follows closely the pattern of the Crusade for Christ but with different emphasis. The first year shall be an emphasis on "Our Faith." Our faith in God, in Christ, in the Holy Spirit, the Kingdom of God, the love of God, and the Life Eternal. Simultaneously with this emphasis, we shall seek to materially increase our World Service giving, in order to keep pace with the growing world needs. The second year shall be an emphasis upon "Our Church." The history, nature, and purpose of the church. With this emphasis there shall be an effort to promote evangelism and a building expansion program. The third year we shall study "Our Ministry." Special attention shall be given to the call and vocation of the ministry and its place in the modern world. The special activity that shall be carried with this emphasis shall be the recruitment and training of ministers. The fourth year's emphasis will be "Our Missions." The mission of the church, in the home, community, nation, and the world. If the Quadrennium of advance shall prove to be as successful as the Quadrennium of the Crusade for Christ, then, we shall be well on our way to repossess much yielded territory of the last many years.

OUR TEACHING PROGRAM

The teaching program of the Methodist Church in the Colorado Conference, heads up in the following organizations and institutions, namely, The Church School, The Methodist Youth Fellowship, Summer Camps, and Mid-Winter Institutes, the Wesley Foundations, Denver University, and the Iliff School of Theology.

The Church School: At the present time we are deeply engaged in a battle for an increased enrollment and a more efficient program of training for our youth. Statistics show that within the last 25 years we lost more than 33% of our enrollment. We have stopped the decline and are making satisfactory gains. To continue an increase in Church School attendance and build a more efficient program of Christian Education is one of the major concerns of our Conference. Let us weep, let us be ashamed, and then let us vow that never again shall there be a period of 25 years or any period of time in which we shall suffer such a shameful and devastating loss in our Church Schools.

The Methodist Youth Fellowships: The Methodist Youth Program of our Conference is in a most healthy condition. The attendance upon the Sunday Services and the efficiency with which these programs are carried on have never been surpassed. Pastors and sponsors are giving close supervision and strong leadership with our youth. Out of the Cleveland Youth Conference came a new vision and enthusiasm. Much of our pride and hope lie within these M. Y. F. groups. They deserve and shall have our deepest concern.

Summer Camps and Mid-Winter Institutes: We pride ourselves that the Colorado Conference is second to none in a summer camp and mid-winter institute program. This year nine summer camps and four mid-winter institutes

were held. Literally thousands of the young life of our Church were lifted to a higher level of thinking and living by the influence of this program. We **are well** organized into state, district, and sub-district commissions. We are going forward and shall expect to continue to do so.

The Wesley Foundation: The Wesley Foundation stands by with a strong program of spiritual culture and leadership training. This organization operates in four state school centers, Boulder, Greeley, Alamosa, and Fort Collins, with a Methodist Student Foundation at the University of Denver. The program is well manned by some of our most capable ministers and perhaps is doing the most efficient work which it has ever done in our Conference. It is most deserving of our whole-hearted cooperation.

Denver University: We look with pride and anticipation upon the coming of Chancellor James F. Price, as the new chancellor of Denver University. The expansion program of the University will make it one of the great institutions of the West. We pledge our loyalty and cooperation to Chancellor Price in carrying forward the work of this great school. With the close proximity of the University and the Iliff School of Theology, and with the fine spirit of cooperation existing between them, our students are furnished with many advantages which would not otherwise be possible to them.

The Iliff School of Theology: Dr. Edward R. Bartlett, with one year of work behind him as the new president of the Iliff School of Theology, has already proven himself to be the answer to our prayers. He is a Christian gentleman, a strong leader, and a good president for our school. He is a brother beloved among us. He will need our help and we pledge to him all that we have. A new day dawns for Iliff. With our financial dream well in hand, the new buildings and an enlarged program in prospect, we shall soon see the Iliff for which we have worked and prayed. Iliff will play her part in answering the world's pathetic cry for a larger number and better trained ministers.

LAY ACTIVITIES

With the uniting of Methodism there came to us the organized Lay Activities program. This was a timely institution. Slow but steady gains have been made in the solidarity of this organization, both in the local church and across Methodism. There is much need for persistency on the part of both laymen and the ministry in bringing this organized activity to a more effective place of service. With the growing complexity of our society, correspondingly the duties and responsibilities of the minister increases, therefore the increasing need for lay activity and leadership.

THE WOMAN'S SOCIETY OF CHRISTIAN SERVICE

The Woman's Society of Christian Service has furnished the most complete framework of efficiency in community service, education, and world outlook we have known. The Methodist Missionary program around the world would have fallen far short were it not for this strong arm of support. Where is the end of the good done by these capable women of our household. As to the things they do, well, there is no end. When giving their report at the Quarterly Conferences, they always say "and," there is always something yet. They have again had a good year. They come with arms full of helpfulness, to meet the needs of here and everywhere. The Church at home and abroad will continue to feel the impact of this great organization. Now as when the Master lived upon the earth we seem to hear Him saying still, "She hath done what she could . . . she hath come aforehand."

THE SPANISH WORK

The Spanish work in our Conference has made but little gain this year. Admittedly, this is a great need, and yet we do not seem to be able to do much about it. Colorado Methodism stands by with deep concern and anxious to serve, but we have been successful to almost no measure in finding leadership. We have long since concluded that Spanish leadership is needed for the Spanish people, but it seems that this leadership is not forthcoming. Until we

shall solve this problem of "who will go for us" we shall remain bogged down in the presence of this great need.

OUR CHURCH PROPERTY

For the last twenty years, we have been engaged in debt-paying, during which time but little or no building has been done. In most cases not even necessary improvements could be made. Within the last three years most of our properties have been put in a fine state of repairs. We are now launching the largest building expansion program, in our history. There are 38 building projects now in process, most of which are in the money-raising stage. These will cost, when completed, approximately one million two hundred thousand dollars. The ministers and laymen are showing great wisdom in their precautionary measures in guarding against a day of possible deflation. Hence the pay-as-you-go method is much in use. We commend the wisdom of this policy.

THE UNITED CAMPAIGN

One of the most timely movements in our Conference was the launching of the United Campaign, a program which called for raising \$355,500 to meet the needs of three of our great institutions, namely, more adequate building for the Iliff School, a more adequate pension for our retired ministers, their widows, and orphans, and more adequate facilities for our summer camps. Recent reports show that we now have in cash and subscriptions \$279,000. A more detailed report will be given elsewhere. The cash received to date has been proportioned to the various institutions involved. Plans for new Iliff dorms are being studied. Improvements for Grand Mesa youth camp are under way. The San Luis Valley camp site has been leased, building plans adopted and materials are being purchased. Pine Crest camp has two beautiful and spacious log dorms nearing completion, with other buildings to be started soon. The proportionate share of the United Campaign for retired ministers is being fed into the permanent fund and is now yielding returns. We are now well on our way with these three great and necessary causes. Let us not slacken in our efforts, but let us make this a must in our program, until every church in the Conference has met its full share.

THE CAUSE OF TEMPERANCE

The use of intoxicating liquor is a practice that is as old as fallen man. It has been under condemnation since the beginning of Holy Writ. Society has attested to its merits and demerits across the centuries. It has ever been found wanting. But in spite of these facts at this very moment, more liquor is being consumed than at any previous time. Beautiful billboards, newspapers, colorful magazines, together with the blare of the radio and the cunning tricks of the picture show, fill our eyes and ears with the effects of these shrewd devices of liquor advertisements. This powerful advertising serves as a steam-roller effect upon all opposition. We are swamped, we are submerged, but we are not licked. This fight for sobriety is a part of our religion and our religious task is not done until this is done. Too long we have used the phraseology of "The Church must lend its full support to the fight against liquor." With more than a seven-billion-dollar liquor bill and with innumerable crime bills lying in wake within a single year's operation, we should change the above phraseology to read, "The Church is a fight against liquor." All necessary resources should be at the disposal of our popularity and use of drink within the membership of our churches and in the so-called Christian home. We should join our forces to de-popularize the use of alcohol in any form in the Christian home. Let us be careful to support, in every possible way, the Interchurch Temperance Movement of Colorado, the W. C. T. U., and also the Temperance Union of America. Also we should give a thoughtful, prayerful, and unstinted loyalty to the work of our own General Board of Temperance.

We pause to pay tribute to our own Bishop Hammaker who is the President of our General Board of Temperance. Bishop Hammaker has given to this Board a strong leadership and has made a great contribution to the revitalization of this fight. We are expecting the church to call for his leadership in

continuing this program. We are counting on him to be in the vanguard of an all-out attack against the unprecedented, popularized, and legalized use of alcoholic beverages. He has the vision, the wisdom, and purpose, together with the respect of Methodism to lead us, as no other man within our ranks, against this the greatest of all evils of our day.

SOME GENERAL TRENDS OF THE CHURCH

We believe that one of our long-delayed tasks is to conquer two great forces that have contributed to our inefficiency in keeping pace with our times and adequately meeting the dawning of new days. One of these is too much respect for the status quo. The other is bowing to the inevitability of the so-called vicious circle.

Respect for the Status Quo: The status quo sometimes means stabilization but often it means stagnation. The middle of the stream of the status quo for stabilization should never be abandoned. However, many of us have insisted upon staying by the status quo to the hurt of ourselves and the cause we proclaim and represent. A new day dawns, a new challenge comes and a new way must be found. The area of evangelism will furnish a good illustration. The status quo of an evangelistic program, a half century ago, was a protracted meeting. But of recent years that most effective practice of yesterday seems to have slipped from us. What shall we do? Shall we stand and look down the road after a vanquished program, spend the rest of our ministry doing nothing about it, or shall we set ourselves to the task of finding a new way or plan that will work in our day. Evangelism is not a status quo thing. It is winning men to Christ and the Christian way of living. The recognized method might change but still soul winning is our task. The pressure of the command and demand of our Lord is still upon us, "Go out and compel them to come in."

The area of a home ministry will furnish another striking example of the tragedy of the status quo. Here again we are maintaining the status quo while one of the greatest demands of the church falls upon deaf ears. Not in our life time have we heard, to such an extent, the plea that "my pastor or someone from the church make us a friendly and religious visit." We are still preaching great sermons, greater than ever, perhaps, but not all of the people are there to hear us, and even those who are there, with those who are not, earnestly solicit a friendly visit from the church. A few of our pastors do not as yet see the wisdom of yielding to the demand for a home ministry, but maintain the status quo, the program of a morning preaching service. But even if the pastors did all they could, the complexity of our society has grown to where, if we are to make our central attack for the Church of tomorrow, a developed Christianity in the home, it is imperative that there be an organized lay activity to help in carrying this emphasis and influence to its center of need, the home, which is the recognized foundation of the church and Christian civilization. We recommend that our pastors build a stronger and a more effective preaching program, but we also recommend that the ministers and lay leaders of the Conference go into action immediately in effecting organized forces to make the home our central attack for a Christian advance. For a number of years, our Conference Lay Leader, Dr. Harrah, has urged the adoption of the unit system for the local church. This has been a most effective organized plan specifically designed to do a home ministry. A few churches have adopted this plan and put it into effect, but they are the exception. It should be that those which do not, would be the exception.

The So-Called Vicious Circle: This vicious circle thing calls up big words, like inevitable, impregnable, etc. It is a thing which has gone around and around. Apparently nothing can be done about it. It has been the dead-end of many lives. It has been the dead-end for many programs and plans. It has been the dead-end for many advanced ideas. It seems to convey the idea of an enclosure of something good which cannot be reached. Problem signs have set up all about it. Many of us do no more than read the signs and turn away. This is not the true spirit of our religion. Our church has many problems which fall well within the class of the so-called vicious circle. They lie sturdily across our pathway of progress. We have come to the time when many of these

should be attacked. For the sake of the illustration we shall speak of one of the vicious circle problems. For instance we have a church where we cannot get an efficient pastor until we get a sufficient salary and an efficient pastor to get a sufficient salary and an efficient pastor. You could begin at the end or middle of this and say it all day. Really it has no end or middle. This cracked record sort of thing has been going on in some of our Colorado communities for years. It is one of the sorry sights of our Conference. It is something we need to work at with an expectancy of solution for it is one of our most serious problems. There are two such churches in the Colorado Springs-Pueblo District, which we have watched closely for five years. When we say that they have property, money, people, the margin is broad. They have been ready to go forward but we have been unable to get sufficient money to get an efficient pastor to get sufficient money to get an efficient pastor. We are ready to stop and sit down and look squarely into the face of some of these situations and see if there is not something we can do to break this so-called vicious circle. It is not so impossible as it would seem at first to lift these churches out of such situations and make them going concerns. This is a type of home missionary work which should call for strong and immediate action. We believe if a few ministers of the Colorado Conference, who are capable of rehabilitation work would be chosen with supplemented salaries to give from one to three years pastorate in such churches which have the necessary resources, we could soon save many situations that are seemingly destined to drag on as they have been for years. This would not work in all down-and-out churches, but there are some in which it would work. The good people of these communities are not always to blame. Let us place the blame where it belongs, but let us not be content in making a discovery, a diagnosis. We must find a remedy, a solution to the problem. These communities need a strong leader, at first, then they can carry a normal program.

The outlook for the future of Colorado Methodism is bright. We believe that we have never been more thoroughly, sanely and efficiently organized than now. Our pulpits are manned by strong ministers. Our parsonages are graced by lovely families. Lay activity and leadership is increasing. The rising cost of living for our ministers and the unprecedented needs for World Service action with the increased cost of same is being met by our laymen with a sympathetic and understanding support. Colorado Methodism will go forward in the days to come.

Bishop Hammaker, you have spent nine years with us. They have been good years. They have been years of achievements. From a financial standpoint, when you came to us we had a property indebtedness approximately one-half million dollars. This has all been liquidated. We raised more than our assigned quota in the \$25,000,000.00 Crusade for Christ Campaign. Pastors' salaries have been increased \$167,000.00. We have more than doubled our W. S. and Benevolent giving—\$279,000.00 of the \$355,500.00 United Campaign goal has been raised. We have no way of measuring the spiritual achievements. We do know that our church membership and Church School enrollment increased. There are many other signs of spiritual advance the extent of which we shall not know in this world. There are two other outstanding achievements which must be mentioned. At the time of the Unification, there were eleven former South Methodist congregations within the bounds of the Colorado Conference. These have been absorbed and made to feel at home with us. You have guided us through the most critical years of the Uniting of Methodism. This was no small task, but every necessary adjustment in reorganization has been made and in a most peaceful and harmonious manner. To your wise counsel and leadership goes much of this credit.

Bishop Hammaker, now that you have heard the last of the District Superintendents' reports of the Colorado Conference and we, recognizing full well that you have worked with body and soul in helping to make possible

these achievements, we stand in deep respect to you and your leadership, while we say, "Thank you," and may God bless you.

Respectfully submitted,
R. O. Gilpin,
District Superintendent,
Colorado Springs-Pueblo District,
Colorado Annual Conference,
The Methodist Church.

(b.) Boards, Commissions and Committees

THE STATE COUNCIL OF CHURCHES

We wish to express our appreciation of Dr. H. M. Gilmore and his staff who have served another year in directing the activities of the Colorado Council of Churches. The following are a few of the activities to which we point with particular interest.

In connection with the migrant program, Mrs. Katherine Alt Smith last summer directed the religious and social ministry to the agricultural migrants of Colorado with five college girls and a young man working under her supervision in three centers in the state: Fort Lupton, Johnstown, and Palisade. The money raised by the Council of Churches was used to pay these student workers.

E. Stanley Jones came to Colorado in September, speaking on the subject, "A Church Adequate to Meet the Needs of Tomorrow's World." Trinity church was packed to its capacity to hear him.

The Council participated in a state-wide clothing drive in cooperation with Church World Service in which 200,000 pounds of clothing were collected and distributed.

Participation was also shared in the Friendship Food Train and Abraham Lincoln Friendship Train when seven car loads of food grains were contributed with four additional car loads in a subsequent campaign. In addition to this, a fund of \$1,000 in cash was received.

The Rocky Mountain Regional Youth Camp at Geneva Glen was unusually successful. This serves outstanding youth from all the Rocky Mountain States.

World premiere of First Protestant Film Commission film, "Beyond Our Own," was presented November 10.

Recordings, "All Aboard for Adventure," twelve records on life in India, twelve on every day adventures in Christian living in the United States of America, and three on "How We Got the Bible," have been purchased by the Council and are available to churches on the payment of \$1.00 toward the purchase of the set. The regular rental rate to churches not contributing to the cooperative purchase of the set is 40 cents per record.

Cooperation is being given by the Council in the formation of Christian Rural Overseas Program agency for overseas relief, sponsored by Catholic Overseas Relief, Lutheran World Relief, and Church World Service.

Children's work conferences were held at four points in the state, Pueblo, Colorado Springs, Fort Collins and Denver. Miss Ruth Murphy of the International Council of Religious Education was guest leader accompanied by a team of local specialists in the field of Children's work in the local church and Daily Vacation Church School.

The Council has been serving in connection with the Commission on Resettlement for Displaced Persons.

A Rural Life Seminar was held May 17 and organization formed of a Department of Town and Country Work under the Colorado Council of Churches.

Respectfully submitted,
R. B. Spencer, Chairman.

REPORT OF THE EXECUTIVE SECRETARY THE COLORADO CONFERENCE BOARD OF EDUCATION

A. Where Is the Executive Secretary?

Without doubt many ministers and laymen dropping into the Board of Education office at Room 100, Trinity Building, Denver and finding the Executive Secretary not at his desk, or by chance the office locked, ask the question, "Where is that fellow?"

During this past conference year the executive secretary has held coaching conferences with workers in 27 local churches and in 21 sub-district assemblies. He has preached in 10 worship services and given 11 special addresses to groups in local churches or within the church. He has met with 31 conference organizations and bodies. He has been in attendance at conferences outside Colorado a total of 38 days. The conferences were Sunday School Convention at Des Moines, Iowa, the Conference on Christian Education at Grand Rapids, Michigan, the Denver Area Planning Conference at Casper, Wyoming, and the General Conference. The executive secretary spent 30 days in Camps and Institutes during the conference year. He gave eight days to Mid-Winter Institutes. He attended ten Youth Fellowships in local churches, four sub-district youth fellowships, and five Youth Council Meetings. He was in attendance at 12 sub-district young adult conferences and 2 Council Meetings. Lastly, the executive secretary spent and was spent in attending the Cleveland Youth Conference.

Perhaps the question should be, "Why try to keep an office?" rather than, "Where is that fellow, now?"

B. The Work With Young Adults

Following the emphasis given by the General Board of Education relative to the need for increased attention to this group in our church, we have this past year promoted this phase of the work, through sub-district organizations, through a newly organized Conference Young Adult Council, through special mailings, and through emphasis on young adults in workers conferences. We had Miss Nellie Harvey of Montana, a special worker from the General Board, with us. With Miss Harvey and Harold I. Woolard and the district superintendents we contacted 10 sub-districts not formally organized for young adult work and two sub-districts formally organized. Beside the program of fellowship and inspiration we sought to reorganize the young adult work in the sub-districts. This has been accomplished in at least five of the ten, giving us at least nine sub-districts in the conference formally organized for young adult work. The year witnessed the holding of the first successful Young Adult Camp at Pine Crest on Labor Day Weekend. The camp will be held this year at the same time under the leadership of the Young Adult Council with Mr. Edward Karlson, Director, and Mr. Earl Gilbert, Manager. In addition, the Young Adult Conference Director, Harold I. Woolard, is desirous of holding a conference of young adults of the Western Slope at Grand Mesa. Undoubtedly all this activity on the levels of the conference, section, and sub-district is a factor in developing more interest in young adult work locally.

C. The Work With Youth in the Conference

The final count on the number responding to the camping program for the Methodist Church in Colorado the past summer totaled about 1,450. The four intermediate camps had approximately 500 in attendance. We will have the same number of camps this summer. The question of leadership is a problem for the faculties of our intermediate camps. We are attempting to solve this by using the qualified teachers and sponsors of intermediates in the local church. Rev. Don Grooters, State Director of all intermediate camps, and all his corps of directors and managers deserve our highest commendations.

The five institutes for youth in high school and older youth were very well attended. Nearly all those involved were pleased with the division of Pine Crest Institutes. While the attendance was not as great in the three as in the undivided institutes, the smaller groups made for closer fellowship and fewer

discipline problems. We believe attendance will be increased because of better work being done, especially in the areas of counseling and expressional activities on the part of the youth in attendance. Grand Mesa and La Plata Institutes continue under fine leadership in well organized situations.

The successful participation by the Methodist Youth of Colorado in the Methodist Youth Conference at Cleveland, Ohio, exceeded our most hopeful expectations. Seventy-one youth and adults attended the conference. We have felt the lasting influence of this good in the mid-winter institutes. The newly elected Councils of Youth and the growing interest in the work locally.

D. The Youth Training Commission and Camp Grounds

At the Annual Conference Session held in 1942 the Conference Board of Education was authorized to set up the Youth Fellowship Training Commission with certain leaders designated to serve on the Commission. Since then several changes have been made by the action of later annual conferences. At present the Commission is composed of the deans of the institutes, the presidents of the institute commissions, the president, vice president, and secretary of each Youth Council, the director of Intermediate Camps, the district directors of youth and several from the membership of the Board of Education. The Commission was given the responsibility of guiding cooperatively the program of youth training within the conference. Since its inception it has launched the Intermediate Camps, the La Plata Institute, and assisted the Young Adult Camp. At present a study is being made looking to some changes constitutionally which will promote a cooperative and standard program in launching and maintaining the various phases of our youth training work.

Due to the returns of the United Campaign the improvement of the physical equipment of our institute grounds at Pine Crest, Grand Mesa, and San Luis Valley is headed for important changes this summer. The San Luis Valley group has formally organized and selected a site for the camp. It is a beautiful spot located on the south fork of the Rio Grande some few miles above the community of South Fork. Grand Mesa Grounds will be improved with a new chapel and sanitary toilets this year. There is also a possibility of the R. E. A. lines reaching the grounds this season. Pine Crest Grounds has two new dormitories of log construction in the process of erection. These may be ready for occupancy late in the season.

E. Children's Work in the Conference

We completed the Vacation School Extension Program for the past season in the areas of Baca County and the Durango sub-district. Miss Delos James served as director in the former, holding schools at Walsh, Two Buttes, and Springfield. In the latter, Mrs. Merle Kistler held schools at Pagosa Springs, Mancos, Marvel, Dove Creek, Lewis, Dolores, and Mesa Verde National Park. The last to be named came at the request of the workers in the park. The workers from the school at Dove Creek on their own, drove forty miles a day, organizing and holding a school at Fairview. A total attendance of 297 responded to these missionary projects. The Conference Board of Missions and the General Board of Education cooperated financially in the venture.

This season we called the district directors of Children's Work together for a planning conference on Vacation Schools. Following this, four coaching conferences on Vacation Schools were held. In addition contacts were made in other districts by mail and personal visitation.

F. The Program of Christian Extension

This phase of our work is like the proverbial Topsy, "it is always growing." One of the real reasons for this is found in the secretary, Mr. Taylor McConnell. He is always at it to discover new resources of radio programs, new ways of making and preserving contacts with the isolated families, and methods of telling the organizations of the local churches about the program. A new folder has been prepared and placed in your hands giving the historical statement of origins, the ongoing work, the dreams for the morrow. To date we have largely asked others to support it and this support has been forthcoming

from the General Board of Missions, Department of Town and Country Life, and the General Board of Education. This support has been allocated from the Crusade for Christ funds. The Methodist Publishing House has been most generous in contributing church school literature. Soon, yea, this forthcoming year this conference must bear more of the load financially. We will be appealing to you for an increase in Rally Day askings to apply on this work. We will probably be appealing to the church schools and other organizations in the local churches for direct gifts. The Woman's Society of Christian Service and the First Methodist Church of Colorado Springs have helped us very much during the past two seasons. Others are increasing their interests and will be giving financial assistance. The future of this work is in our hands.

G. Office and Mailing Contacts

When the program of Christian Education was launched under the present leadership the executive committee of the Conference Board of Education insisted on establishing an office, where headquarters would be maintained, display of literature made, and counseling given. This has proven a wise move. Room 100, Trinity Building is fairly well known today in Colorado Methodism.

At present we have over 1100 on our mailing plates and there should be others. We are not mailing regularly to children's, youth, nor adult superintendents in the local churches. If we added these we would have mailing lists totaling over 1800. At present the monthly mailing entitled WIDENING HORIZONS is sent to you through the cooperation of the Conference Board of Missions, Conference Board of Lay Activities, Youth Training Commission, and the Conference Board of Education. Those receiving the mailing are the ministers, the church school superintendent, president of the board of missions or benevolent treasurer, charge lay leader, laymember of the annual conference, sponsor or president of youth fellowship, and the young adult leader in each local church.

H. Crusade for Christ in the Church School

Friends, the need to reach children, youth, and adults with Christian teaching has only been partially accomplished. The total church has not been awakened to the necessity of Christian teaching for all ages of life. Too many persons in our churches believe teaching is still "kid's business." For too many, the Sunday School is the only expression of the Church School. Lastly, there is the great problem of leadership in the local church. If the earth can be moved with the proper fulcrum, so may the church with proper and trained leadership. I do hope and pray that Colorado Methodism, while thankful for the gains we have made during the years of the Crusade, will be earnest in its attempt to continue to show gains each year in all phases of our work.

I. Thanksgiving for Cooperation

I am thankful for Bishop Wilbur E. Hammaker's leadership in the Colorado Conference. During his nine years with us our work has grown from a small bud to at least a partial bloom. His counseling, guidance, and solicitude have been exceedingly helpful. His influence as a member of the General Board of Education and as chairman of the Curriculum Committee have not hurt our work in the least. Staff members of the General Board of Education have been most willing to assist us in Colorado because of Bishop Hammaker's presence and influence. As you leave our midst you may bear on your great body and mind the ringing testimony of the Board of Education and these workers, "You have been a great inspiration and brother to us."

Having finished the bishop, I quickly seize upon the opportunity of saying "thank you" to the district superintendents. Our three district leaders have made capital of the emphasis on the Crusade in the Church School in their work over their districts. We have stood shoulder to shoulder. With such cooperation the work does succeed.

We have tasted victory in the past quadrennium and the sweetness of accomplished objectives, gives us the desires necessary to accept the great challenges for the future. The General Conference sounded the call for the next

four years when it adopted the "Teaching and Preaching Mission for Methodism." We shall be considering and committing ourselves to our faith, our church, our ministry, and our mission. These coming years can mean as much and more to us as have the four years just past, if we give ourselves wholeheartedly to the challenge of the Mission of the Cross.

Respectfully submitted,
Ben H. Christner,
Executive Secretary,
Conference Board of Education
The Colorado Annual Conference
The Methodist Church.

COMMITTEE ON EVANGELISM

Christian evangelism has been the very essence of the Methodist Church. We make no attempt at definition. We recommend any method that will work.

We are especially thankful for the "Year of Evangelism." What worked then will work now. We recommend the continuation of the methods, plans, programs and efforts of the Year of Evangelism."

We recommend for our Conference the program of evangelism adopted by the General Conference for the next quadrennium. This includes,

First, WINNING OF THE INDIVIDUAL.

1. We propose as a Conference to take our share of winning two million souls in the next four years.
2. We propose that these new members be trained and assimilated as effective members of the Church.
3. We propose to train lay workers and young people in evangelism.
4. We feel that each minister and layman should be challenged to a definite dedication to win others to Christ.
5. We propose more intensive training of Sunday School teachers as personal evangelists.

Second, THE REDEMPTION OF THE FAMILY.

1. We propose to launch a visitation program that will seek to enroll every Methodist family in the "Christian Family Movement" in which our people will practice daily family worship, Christian living in home and community and regular worship in the church.
2. We propose to impress every Methodist family with the responsibility of being an evangelistic agency to win its children and friends for Christ and the church.

Third, TO REACH AND WIN THE MULTITUDES.

1. We propose in cooperation with other Christian groups, in as far as is possible, to do our part and our share in the evangelization of America, the Christianization of the social order, including all of our national and international relationships, taking the Gospel of Christ to the unchurched by all worthy means at our command, such as radio, press, advertising, motion pictures, tracts, literature, preaching in shop, store, and street.
2. We pledge full cooperation with the United Evangelistic Advance of the Federal Council of Churches of Christ in America beginning on World Communion Sunday, in October, 1949, and closing on December 31, 1950.
3. We recommend the regular use of evangelistic services and seminars on religion.

H. C. Alley, Chairman.

FARE EQUALIZER

Amount carried over from last year—\$155.45.

Based on the same rate used in Conference travel this year which is three cents a mile, the following has been paid out by authorization of Bishop Hammaker:

To each of the eight Colorado Conference men serving in Utah who are not eligible to receive travel expense because the churches they serve are not in the Colorado Conference, the sum of \$18.06—a total of \$144.48.

This leaves \$10.97 which was turned over to the present travel fund.

Claude R. Kinsley.

METHODIST HISTORICAL SOCIETY

In the absence of the President, Martin Rist, and at his request, the Historical Society of the Conference brings you this condensed report.

First, a word of appreciation and a heart-felt tribute to the former president and now emeritus member of the Board of Directors, William Campbell Wasser. At the annual meeting of the Society on the 13th of February of this year he asked to be relieved of further official duties and regretfully his request was granted by the voting members of the Society who then proceeded to elect Martin Rist as his successor in office.

The Conference Historical Society is now about 67 years old. It was organized in 1881 since which time it has lapsed and been revived from time to time until 1934 when it sprang into new life under the inspiring leadership of F. R. Hollenback. Since that time the Society has enjoyed a record of continuous growth and increased usefulness. Today its high value to the Conference in the preservation of important historical material can hardly be overstated.

Article two of the constitution adopted by vote of the Conference in 1934: "The object of the Society shall be the collection, preservation and orderly classification of valuable historical material such as records, books, manuscripts, pictures, trophies and mementos relating to the Methodist Church in the Rocky Mountain region, but more especially in Colorado."

Article 8 reads: "The official depository of the archives of the Society shall be the library of the Iliff School of Theology."

During the past year some of the worthwhile accomplishments of the Society are found in the records:

In July of last year a bronze tablet or plaque was put in place on the front of Central City church—the oldest building now standing in Colorado Methodism. In about 100 words it records the beginnings of Methodism in Central City. The cost was \$115.00 and well worth it.

Through the efforts of Martin Rist the official board and quarterly conference records of the work at Central City have come to light and photostatic records are now being made for placing in our archives.

At some expense to the Board two studies are now being made by students of Iliff—one a history of Denver Methodism and the other covering the larger field of the entire Greeley District. When completed copies of these studies will be available for filing in our records.

Steps have been taken to secure the cooperation of the official board of Trinity Church to allow the Society to place a bronze plaque on the front of the church similar to the one at Central City.

Markers for the graves of all Methodist preachers wherever located are being considered.

THE ILIFF SCHOOL OF THEOLOGY

It is with deep appreciation of the cordiality with which the members of the Colorado Annual Conference have received representatives of The Iliff

School of Theology that I make this report of my first year as administrative officer of the School.

I. The Student Body.

Classification of registrations for 1947-48 are as follows:

	Men	Women	
Th.M. Candidates			
1st year -----	19	0	19
2nd year -----	16	0	16
3rd year -----	18	0	18
			53
4th year -----	26	0	26
Th.D. -----	13	2	15
			41
Th.D. not in residence during year -----	15		15
Special students from D. U. -----	8	6	14
Unclassified and other special (including auditors and Board of Education) -----	14	10	24
			53
	129	18	147

Returned service men make up one-third of the student body. Of the number of regular students, 53 are now serving charges in this or other annual conferences. Thus, pastoral service and graduate study are joined in the preparation of ministers for the challenging task in which you who are veterans in the work are engaged.

In order better to select those who are admitted, and to advise as to their program of study with some knowledge of their elements of strength and weakness, a program of testing is in effect. All first year students are given standardized tests in the areas of mental ability, educational achievement, professional aptitude, and interest and personality characteristics, including emotional stability.

II. Course of Study

The Iliff Town and Country program is more than a revival of traditional rural courses. It includes mining and industrial communities and work in minority groups, including the Spanish-American, Japanese-American, Negro and Indian. The close cooperation between the Town and Country Department of the Board of Missions, the Colorado Annual Conference agencies in this field, and the School promises to produce tested methods of organization, teaching and evangelization which will be a significant contribution to the entire Church.

Another new development is in the field of pastoral visitation and counseling. Not only is marked interest shown in the summer session courses, but also in a series of one-day seminars being promoted cooperatively by the Episcopal Diocese of Colorado, The Colorado Council of Churches and this School. The possibility of establishing a resident hospital chaplaincy for a specialist who will also give clinical training to Iliff students is being explored. Meantime, the fact that this School does not offer an adequate number of courses in Missions, Church Music and Worship, Social Ethics and Preaching is being recognized.

Conferences, short courses and round tables are being set up to meet in part the need in those fields, but nothing less than full time instruction is now the goal.

III. Building Plans.

Plans for a new dormitory for married couples and single men are now in the blueprint stage. Authorization has been given the proper committees of the Board of Trustees to proceed with the letting of contracts when in their judgment satisfactory terms are secured.

The building, having over-all dimensions of 80 by 173 feet, is to be of terra cotta brick, steel and concrete construction, having three floors. Apartments will be of one- two and three rooms, grouped in units of four apartments

having a common hall and service entrance. Dormitory space will be provided at either end of the third floor for the accommodation of special groups that may be brought in for short term conferences during the school year. The location of the building will be at University Boulevard and Iliff Avenue, the main entrance opening north upon the campus of the Iliff School of Theology.

IV. Finances.

1. Grants from The Methodist Church. The School would express deep appreciation for the exceedingly helpful grants made by the Methodist Commission on World Service and Finance, amounting in the year just closed to \$18,099.70.

Action of the 1948 General Conference, however, closed the door to any increase in funds from the Church save such as may be reflected in the increased giving to the World Service Fund.

The general Conference voted to raise another committee to "continue to study the theological schools," to conduct a campaign of information, and in 1951 (the year of emphasis upon the ministry in the "For Christ and His Church" program) should it seem feasible, "to make an appeal to all local churches, without any apportionment, for whatever support of our Schools of Theology, our laymen and the ministry of the local church in their sole discretion are ready to contribute."

Recognizing the need for an immediate expansion of the services of the School and for official support of a canvass for funds for Iliff, it is recommended that a resolution be presented to the Western Jurisdictional Conference to provide for action before three years elapse. After calling attention to the disciplinary provision that a theological school may "appeal to a jurisdiction" and, noting the services of the School to the ministers, churches and communities, the Resolution contains the following request:

"That the Western Jurisdictional Conference recommend to the constituent Annual Conferences, District Conferences, and local churches that they facilitate the recruitment of candidates for the ministry, a larger use of the services of The Iliff School of Theology, and the development of a program of cultivation by the School leading to increased financial support through Conference, Church and individual contributions.

"It is further requested that the Annual Conference Boards of Education set up committees to put this recommendation into effect and to work with the committee on theological schools raised by the General Conference of 1948."

The Iliff Board of Trustees requests that the Colorado Annual Conference instruct its delegates to the Western Jurisdictional Conference to present this resolution to that Conference.

2. Grants from the Colorado Conference. (a) The United Campaign, according to most recent reports, is approximately two-thirds of the way to its goal of \$335,000. The Iliff School of Theology has received during the year the amount of \$36,917.40 in cash toward the quota of \$135,000. The total amount in pledges is not available at this time, but probably this exceeds \$40,000. The Trustees and staff wish to express their gratitude for the generous provision for the Endowment and Building program of the School.

(b) The Commission on World Service and Finance has helped effectively in recent years with its Scholarship Grant of \$500 and additional unrestricted funds totaling 3.1% of the Conference Benevolences. Needs are increasing, however, and in the absence of church-wide support a request was presented to the Commission in its current session asking that 17% be added to the apportionment for Iliff, increasing the present grant of \$2,352.14 by \$399.86.

3. Present Financial Condition. In the year just closed, the total income of the School was \$56,684.36, as compared with \$49,858.42 in the preceding year. The expenses for the current year were \$49,181.35 as compared with \$38,045.61 in the year 1946-47. The Expansion Fund, due in part to the persistent and effective work of our Field Representative, Dr. Walter L. Breaw, has as its account \$179,836.38, as compared with \$62,853.55 at the close of the preceding fiscal year. This Fund is designated primarily to scholarship and building projects. Unusually successful investments by the Finance Committee

of the Iliff Board of Trustees and careful administration of all funds have contributed to the excellent condition of the various accounts. The present assets of the School amount to a total of \$593,900.82.

A summary of estimates of income and expenses for the year 1948-49 is as follows:

Income		Expenses	
Tuition and Fees		Administration	\$13,450.00
(Regular, etc.)	\$ 8,285.00	General	5,103.00
General Income	275.00	Promotion and Publicity	1,800.00
Endowment Income	20,200.00	Instruction	25,988.00
Gifts, Grants &		Library	5,600.00
Appropriations	34,832.00	Plant	4,950.00
Residence Halls	3,200.00	Residence Halls	4,850.00
Other Income Accounts	250.00	President's Residence	1,200.00
		Student Activities	100.00
		Scholarships, Aids and	
		Grants	8,049.00
	\$67,042.00		\$71,090.00

New Funds Needed to

Balance -----\$4,040.00

V. Nominations to Membership on Board of Trustees.

At its Annual Meeting, the Board of Trustees of the Iliff School of Theology recommended by unanimous vote that the following names be presented to the Colorado Annual Conference for election in the class of 1951:

The Reverend Ben H. Christner
 The Reverend Ezra M. Cox
 Lewis A. Dick
 Elmer E. Hester
 William S. Iliff, Jr.
 Ralph B. Mayo
 J. Herman Salley
 Gerald L. Schlessman

VI. In my report to the Trustees, I made two concluding observations. One concerned a member of the Board most influential in my decision to come to this post: Bishop Wilbur E. Hammaker. Since being associated with him in this program, I have come to prize highly those characteristics which I called to the attention of the Colorado Council of Churches at the recent testimonial dinner given the Bishop—his broad range of interest, his financial acumen, his clarity of insight into problems, his remarkable persistence. I shall miss personally, as will all the members of the Board, these qualities which have been of such inestimable value to Iliff, and join you in prayers for the continuance of his leadership in other fields.

The other is a word of deep appreciation on the part of Mrs. Bartlett and myself for the remarkable way in which the Board, the School and this Conference have accepted us as kindred spirits and fellow workers. Your generous preparations for our coming, and inspiring service of Inauguration, your warm support of plans for the future development of our School, all have meant much to us. We pray God's guidance as we work with you to serve in this seminary in the critical years ahead.

Respectfully submitted,
 Edward R. Bartlett, President.

BOARD OF LAY ACTIVITIES

Nine years ago we were in the throes of a new program and a new procedure. We began our work by attempting to strengthen the financial program

of the church. What success we may have had cannot be measured. We have throughout these nine years given support to the program of the church. It is our program.

The Crusade for Christ during the quadrennium just closed was outstanding. We hope our efforts may have had a share in its success.

The new Advance Program on Our Faith, Our Church, Our Ministry, Our Mission is also our program and we pledge our whole-hearted support to it for the quadrennium.

To carry forward this great program we need the support of the men of the Church. We therefore accept as our task the organization of a group of Methodist men in every Church in the Conference.

Your Conference Lay Leader has written a page to be sent out with Widening Horizons. Although we do not know reader interest we have reason to believe that this is a good contact and shall continue it for another year.

Four years ago the Conference on request of the Board of Lay Activities voted funds for lay travel expense. Last year this was extended to include the pastor's travel expense also. This seems to be a very satisfactory arrangement and is to be continued.

Was your Lay Member of the Annual Conference present? The Churches are now paying your travel expense and we believe have a right to expect you to be present at all the sessions of the Conference. The Church is yours and if when you are absent the Annual Conference passes measures of which you do not approve you have no right to complain.

Let us make the Annual Conference a real conference with our presence and our prayers.

E. C. Harrah, Conference Lay Leader.

COLORADO CONFERENCE GROUP INSURANCE PLAN AS PROPOSED BY CONFERENCE INSURANCE COMMITTEE

Your Committee submits for your consideration the following plan of Group Insurance. This plan will be underwritten by The Presbyterian Minister's Fund for Life Insurance. This Company was selected after other old line companies such as New York Life; Equitable; Prudential Life Insurance Co.; John Hancock Life Insurance Co.; Kansas City Life Insurance Co.; The Great Eastern Life Insurance Company and others were invited to submit proposals.

The Presbyterian Minister's Fund is a non-profit organization without agents that is exclusively a minister's company, insuring only ministers, their wives and children.

This Organization is the oldest legal reserve company in the world with the largest ratio of assets over liabilities of any company in the world, therefore offering the greatest certainty of security that is available. Because of its unique plan of insuring only ministers, their wives and families, it insures only select risks and pays no agents commissions, the Fund is able to offer low cost protection second to none.

The Plan

The proposed plan is basically quite simple. Each participant will receive a contract which provides that in the event of death prior to the anniversary date of his policy nearest his 65th birthday, his beneficiary will receive the full face value of the policy.

If death should occur after the anniversary date of the policy nearest his 65th birthday, the beneficiary will receive one-half of the face value, or \$1000, on a \$2000 policy. All premium payments stop at age 65.

In consideration of the above benefits, the insured will make quarterly deposits according to the attached schedule. The premium for each member to be determined by his age. These premiums are level and under the law, no extra assessment can be made. The premiums will be collected by the person designated by the Conference, and he will forward the total premiums to the Fund.

A most desirable feature of this plan is that the member ceases to pay premiums at age 65 and gets a fully paid up policy for \$1000 (on a \$2000 policy). At a given time, roughly near the age of retirement, or decreased earnings, the member does not have to lose his insurance because of inability to continue premium payments.

The above proposed plan is the result of much experience and careful study in the field of Conference insurance.

Option for Ages 56 to 70

Always in a large group there are men beyond the insurable age who need insurance. This proposal makes provision for all men regardless of age. The Renewable Term policy has been made available for men from ages 56 to 70. This policy gives the same death benefit to the beneficiary, but is a policy which increases each year in the amount of premium to be paid and premiums continue beyond age 65. (See page one—scale of premiums.) This policy does not have a cash value to the insured—only to the beneficiary. This policy can be converted on any anniversary date of the policy to some standard level premium policy. See Representative for rate.

Respectfully submitted,
Colorado Conference Group Insurance Committee
Samuel Marble, Chairman
H. A. Hanke
J. W. Burnett
R. W. Drummond
R. L. Henry

Quarterly Rates, \$2000

Age	Special 65	Age	Special 65	Age	Special 65	Age	Special 65
20-----	\$ 5.40	29-----	\$ 7.30	38-----	\$10.38	47-----	\$15.90
21-----	5.58	30-----	7.58	39-----	10.82	48-----	16.80
22-----	5.76	31-----	7.86	40-----	11.32	49-----	17.80
23-----	5.94	32-----	8.16	41-----	11.82	50-----	18.90
24-----	6.14	33-----	8.48	42-----	12.38	51-----	20.14
25-----	6.36	34-----	8.82	43-----	12.98	52-----	21.52
26-----	6.58	35-----	9.18	44-----	13.62	53-----	23.08
27-----	6.80	36-----	9.54	45-----	14.32	54-----	24.90
28-----	7.06	37-----	9.94	46-----	15.08	55-----	27.00

Ages 56 on may take either Term or Ordinary Life in multiples of \$500, but not to exceed the basic \$2000. (See Rate Folder for Ordinary Life Rate.)

Renewable		Renewable		Renewable		Renewable	
Age	Term	Age	Term	Age	Term	Age	Term
56-----	\$10.28	60-----	\$13.88	64-----	\$18.90	68-----	\$25.86
57-----	11.06	61-----	14.98	65-----	20.44	69-----	28.00
58-----	11.92	62-----	16.18	66-----	22.08	70-----	30.30
59-----	12.86	63-----	17.48	67-----	23.92		

Definition:

1. Renewable Term premium rates advance each year to the next rate, e.g., a man entering the group at 56 would pay \$10.28 per \$2000 of insurance upon entering. The second year he would pay \$11.06 and the third year his premium would \$11.92, etc., etc.

2. Renewable term may be converted on any anniversary date into a standard legal reserve policy such as Ordinary Life, 20 pay Life, etc., etc.

3. The Special 65 policy gives full face value coverage until age 65 and then the policy is automatically paid up for half its face value. As an example: A group member takes \$2000. This is the amount for which he is covered until age 65. Then the insured stops paying premiums and he has a fully paid up policy for \$1000.

4. First quarterly premium may be paid by 90-day note, cash or check.

5. This group coverage is available to all Iliff students; all local preachers who are working on the conference course of study; all conference members; all ordained ministers and all retired ordained ministers.

6. Double Indemnity and waiver of premium are available at extra cost and all Renewable Term policies are convertible to a Standard policy such as Ordinary Life or 20 pay life.

The Presbyterian Minister's Fund will write this group contract on all Ministers requesting same if it is officially adopted by the conference, provided there are at least 55 who sign up within 60 days.

SECRETARY'S ANNUAL REPORT, METHODIST PENSION FUND, INC.

Pensions are not born, they are made. Something more than mere circumstance or a combination of circumstances creates them. Not one man, nor a group of men that have an idea which they wish to exploit, but a driving, insistent, increasing need makes them imperative. Likewise, it is fullest cooperation on the part of many involved that must be had in order to make pensions succeed in their peculiar mission. If we would have justice pensions cannot be lightly considered.

As a rule, ministers do not bask in the sunlight of munificence, nor do they recline beneath rosy skies flashing the label of the "well-fixed." They simply do not qualify. Minus a contractual relationship such as obtains in modern industry between employer and employee, they are forced back upon a warmer relationship, a brotherly relationship, a relationship of love, between man and man, church and minister, minister and church, and in that warmer relationship to make the provision which is needed to solve the problem of the sunset years.

Pensions in the Colorado Conference began to take shape some forty years ago. From a few hundred dollars with which to cover essential needs then, we now face a budget approaching some \$60,000, and still we do not reach the legal rate of payment in this Conference to our Claimants. From a few individuals needing retirement provision then we now have 129 persons for whom we must make provision—60 members, 65 widows and four children. This totals 2861 years of responsibility, and we have 565 years of responsibility outside the conference, for persons once serving here but retiring elsewhere, having their service years here cared for by this conference.

You must note that progress has been made. We have been doing business. Our Fund is increasing. The United Campaign had brought us about \$36,900 and will be adding more later on this year. Payments from the members on personal accounts, while falling somewhat below the total of last year, have been good. Additions here will be realized in payments through the Conference Treasurer's office, but cannot be reported on this year. Some gifts have been made which help increase our Fund.

Some interest has been realized in the loaning of the new money received from the United Drive. Your Board, desiring to prevent loss by keeping funds uninvested, invested over a period of about two months the major portion of the new money, believing this to be the wiser course. Interest realized from this investment your Board asks to be allocated in the total allocation of \$9,600 approved by the Board to the Claimant Fund. This will assist in meeting our load we have this year, and should be done the Board feels.

Your Board also asks that this body authorize it to place all payments from the United Drive in the Permanent Fund where they rightly belong. This should be done in order properly to facilitate the handling of all funds and prevent any misunderstanding of their relationship to the whole.

Jubilee and Patron Beneficiaries will receive the same payments during the ensuing year. All effort has gone into increasing the rate to Claimants, and all available funds will be applied to the need arising there.

The Pension office wishes to acknowledge here all that has been done this year to bring to the attention of our people our great need in the pension field. Your secretary wishes to acknowledge the many courtesies extended

him in the work of the office. Your cooperation further is solicited, and your understanding, and this office will do its best with your help to carry on the work until we are assured of fullest success.

L. G. Dawson, Secretary.

THE BOARD OF MISSIONS AND CHURCH EXTENSION

It is with genuine thanksgiving, that we report an increase in our benevolent giving over that of last year of \$1,388. Our total for World Service and Conference Benevolences for the year closing May 31st is \$70,773, as against a total of \$69,385 reported a year ago. Thus, for nine consecutive years—ever since the Uniting Conference, we have been able to report increases over the previous years. During this time our benevolent giving has more than doubled, our per capita giving having increased from 39 cents per member to the present figure of \$1.23.

During the past year our Conference Missionary Secretary, the Rev. T. B. McDivitt, has been tireless in his devotion to the promotional activities of the board. No one could possibly have been more loyal and faithful than he. He was fortunate in securing the services of Dr. Karl Quimby for a four-day itinerary in the conference, and has now arranged for a ten-week itinerary of Dr. R. B. Desai, superintendent of the Umreth District in India. The schedule of his speaking appointments is now being arranged, and pastors desiring his services should arrange satisfactory dates with Brother McDivitt at the earliest possible date.

Perhaps the high point of the entire year was the great Lincoln Conference on Rural Work. The Colorado Conference was well represented by fourteen men. The importance of this great gathering can scarcely be over-emphasized. It probably marks a turning point in the program of missions in our great church. We are highly gratified that so many of our people were able to attend.

The present chairman of your board does not feel physically able to lead in the enlarged program planned for the quadrennium. As we retire, we desire to thank the members of the board, and of the entire conference for the splendid cooperation we have received. It has been a pleasure to work with the board, with the Bishop and district superintendents.

The report of the maintenance support for the various charges for the past year is as follows:

Colorado Springs-Pueblo District			
Beulah	\$ 100.00	Olney Springs	200.00
Blanca Circuit	200.00	Rye	200.00
Bowen	200.00	Saguache	150.00
Bristol-Hartman	200.00	Springfield	50.00
Leader-Edison	100.00	Sugar City	200.00
Calhoun-Yoder	200.00	Towner	300.00
Cripple Creek	400.00	Vineland	100.00
Del Norte	300.00	Walsenburg	200.00
Eads-Haswell	200.00	Westcliffe	300.00
Florence	100.00	West Four Mile	125.00
Gardner	300.00	Pueblo: Good Will	100.00
Hoehne	100.00		
La Veta	100.00	Total	\$4,325.00
Denver-Grand Junction District			
Asbury	\$ 200.00	Grand Valley	400.00
Edgewater	300.00	Meeker	100.00
Emanuel	300.00	Norwood	200.00
Jefferson Ave.	200.00	Olathe	400.00
Denver:		Pagosa Springs	200.00
Epworth	840.00	Parker	100.00
Grace Comm.	1,080.00	Simpson	100.00
Spanish	2,000.00	Mesa	100.00

Westside -----	1,200.00	Montclair -----	600.00
Grand Junction:		Bethany -----	500.00
Good Will -----	350.00	Trailer Pastor -----	1,018.92
Aspen -----	300.00		
Clifton -----	300.00		
Fairview -----	100.00	Total -----	\$10,963.92

Greeley District

Akron-Plattner -----	\$ 150.00	Sedgwick -----	225.00
Erie -----	312.50	Willard -----	100.00
Hugo-Bovero -----	150.00	Ovid -----	150.00
Keota -----	225.00	Laird -----	165.00
Kersey -----	120.00	Jamestown -----	50.00
Lafayette-Louisville -----	200.00	Northern Colorado:	
Leadville-Breckenridge -----	455.00	Spanish -----	1,600.00
Oak Creek -----	100.00		
Kremmling -----	37.50	Total -----	\$4,040.00

Respectfully submitted,
LEON H. SWEETLAND, President.

THE COMMITTEE ON RESOLUTIONS

Trinity Methodist Church in Denver has again been the gracious host to our Colorado Conference, the Tenth Annual Session since Unification. Dr. Samuel W. Marble, the pastor-host, has been everywhere at once providing for our comfort and for the smooth operation of the Conference in a magnificent way. He has been aided most efficiently by Miss Carrie Miller, deaconess of this church. She has in turn been ably assisted by Reva A. Owen and Bessie L. Meeker, deaconesses, and Miss Doris Richardson, church secretary. Not seen much have been the caretakers, and especially Mr. John Q. Adams the chief helper and handyman, but their care of this building has kept its many rooms clean and ready for use, and we thank them. Mrs. Ed. B. Dearden, President of the Trinity W. S. C. S. and her many co-workers deserve our gratitude for their part in meeting our numerous banquet needs. We are indeed grateful, also, to Mrs. Paul Parker who has been faithful at the console of the organ when needed. Tonight we are grateful to the Trinity Choir, its director, Dr. Antonia Brico, its organist, Donald Loach, and the soloists for the superb music we have enjoyed this evening. Mr. Frank Farmer merits our thanks for his singing leadership at several banquets. The soloists for the different sessions, Miss Helen Ainsworth and Mrs. Violette McCarthy, are also to be thanked for their service and inspiration. The musical part of our Conference has been further embellished by the Cameron Choir on Wednesday evening, the Grant Avenue Choir on Thursday, and the Friday evening music presented by the Men's Glee Club and company from First Church, Colorado Springs.

The addresses of Dr. Elliot Fisher, representing the Board of Missions; of Dr. Lyndon B. Phifer, editor, representing our Board of Church school publications; of Dr. H. H. Donnenworth, director of Colorado's Inter-Church Temperance Movement; of Chancellor James F. Price in giving his report as head of Denver U.; of Dr. Mark Dawber, Executive Secretary of the North American Missionary Council; of Mr. Dee Walker from the Texas Conference, speaking for the Lay Activities Board; and the revealing address last night by Dr. Paulus Scharpf from Frankfurt Seminary on the "Spiritual Conditions in Germany"—these have all been speeches of illumination and importance to us.

Furthermore, we are encouraged and impressed by the leadership Dr. Edward R. Bartlett is offering as President of Iliff School of Theology, and which he has shown forcibly in his addresses to us.

We are grateful for the leadership of our District Superintendents, the Rev. John L. Spargo; the Rev. Rufus C. Baker, and the Rev. Richard O. Gilpin who presented the excellent Superintendent's report this year. Dr. E. C. Harrah, our Conference Lay Leader, deserves commendation for his strong

leadership in that important field. We note with regret that Dr. Ben H. Christner who has so intelligently and effectively led our Conference as the Executive Secretary of the Board of Education these last seven years, is resigning to return to the pastorate. We express our appreciation for his faithful leadership. The same is to be said for Dr. Leon Sweetland, who has retired as Chairman of the Board of Missions and Church Extension. We seldom mention our Conference Treasurer, M. Allen Keith; our Statistician, J. T. Bainbridge; and the Secretary, Warren S. Bainbridge, but these men and their faithful staffs do a great deal of work for us and deserve our recognition. The many other leaders and workers in our Boards, Commissions and Committees, cannot all be named, but they deserve the Conference's gratitude for their part in our progress.

This year we were impressed by the unusually well attended and stimulating W. S. C. S. program Friday afternoon. Mrs. F. I. Hollingsworth, Conference president, gave an excellent report, Mrs. Hammaker in her delightful and inimitable way presented a heart-warming devotional service, and Dr. Dawber gave the address.

The emphasis on youth this year in our Conference was notable and worthwhile. In the Wesley Foundation report on Thursday, Miss Peggy Daly gave a charming story of the worth of this work with college and university youth. In the Board of Education report that afternoon, Glen Hamlyn, M. Y. F. President for the Eastern Section, delivered a challenging report. On Saturday and today a great Youth Conference, overseen by the Rev. J. Richard Palmer, Conference Youth Director, has been held. We are eager to encourage our youth and their leaders and express now our joy over their significant gathering.

The New Advance program, presented by our General Conference delegates, emphasizing our Faith, our Church, our Ministry and our Mission for the next Quadrennium; and the Denver Area program presented by our leaders have been given to us in challenging fashion.

We are saying "Farewell" to one of the finest Bishops the Denver Area has ever had. From his challenging morning sermon-addresses, this year entitled "Some Creative Beginnings," to his last consultation, often late into the night, he has been both strident leader and warm-hearted brother. Great praise and high commendations have been heaped upon both him and Mrs. Hammaker. What new superlatives can we find to use? Simple words are best and most sincere, so let us now just say, "Bishop and Mrs. Hammaker, seldom do folks give their hearts to anyone as we have given ours to you. Part of you remains here—part of us goes with you—when you leave."

We come now to the close of our session. It is surely the prayer of us all, as we walk out into another year, that we may be found good and faithful servants of our Master, Jesus Christ, the Lord.

Respectfully submitted,
O. Franklin Archer, Chairman.

COMMITTEE ON SOCIAL SERVICE

1. We affirm the pronouncements of the recent General Conference of the Methodist Church on Social Issues, including their statement on war and peace and we urge all ministers and laymen of our Conference to read these statements.

2. We call on Colorado Methodists to be alert to the forces of intemperance and gambling, especially as these elements present themselves in the coming election. Loyalty to our cause compels us to oppose these evil forces that are working in our state.

3. Your Committee believes that the work assigned to us can best be done by the Committee on the State of the Church, that there is unnecessary

duplication and that for the sake of efficiency this committee be dissolved and its duties assigned to the Committee on the State of the Church. We so recommend.

C. E. Albertson
B. B. Byus
John Edgar
Benjamin Eitelgeorge
John Edwards
Harold Popham
Eugene D. Titsworth
Bernard Vessey

COMMITTEE ON THE STATE OF THE CHURCH

I. The quadrennium marking the Crusade for Christ has been a memorable one in Methodist history. During this time the church raised 27 million dollars extra for emergency causes. Added to this, World Service giving made a gain of 18.6%. The increase in other benevolences was \$11,700,000 or 61.3%. There was a net gain in membership of 567,641. The gain in recruits for life service as pastors, missionaries, deaconesses and other full-time Christian leaders was 13,364. We now accept the objective of making this Crusade the prelude to an even greater quadrennium of service, devotion and achievement.

II. Methodists are becoming aware of our own responsibility foreseeing that Protestant unity becomes a reality. The Episcopal address for 1948 states: "The churches must become the church. . . . We believe our Lord is calling upon us to unite." Among others, three noteworthy instances of cooperative action already taken are:

1. Beginning in October, twenty-six Protestant denominations in the U. S. are cooperating in a foreign missions program of advance. A two days' conference will be held in each of 36 selected centers across the continent. Denver is one of those selected. In each center the participating Boards—in some cities as many as fifteen—will conduct separate denominational meetings during part of each day, and will then unite in large inter-denominational meetings, in which the Foreign Missions Program of Advance will be presented in its relation to the total missionary program of the churches. These meetings should focus the attention of the entire community upon the desperate spiritual needs throughout the world, and the necessity for closer Protestant cooperation in bringing about world recovery. The dates for the conference at Denver are November 8-9.

2. The General Conference at Boston appointed a Commission to begin discussions and carry on studies looking to a greater church union. Among those named as ready to consider union are the Disciples, the Congregational-Christian, and the Protestant Episcopal churches. The proposal of the first two bodies, that the churches which already recognize the validity of each others' ministries and sacraments have a conference on union, was approved by the General Conference, which also welcomed the suggestion that the Episcopal church might also be ready to enter such discussions.

3. Both the Episcopal address and the General Conference recommended closer cooperation with our colored Methodist brethren, the former declaring, we must "move from the exploration of the possibilities of union to the creation of the spirit and structure of union." It is now possible for a white conference, like the Colorado Conference, to receive colored churches within its boundaries, into the conference as members. We believe that this conference may profitably consider the advisability of inviting the colored churches within our boundaries to become members of the Colorado Conference.

III. We suggest that each of our churches, the members of the Official Board consider the matter of their local church's obligation to become responsible for bringing into its local community, and providing housing and employ-

ment for, one or more displaced persons from abroad. Other denominations are providing homes and employment for large numbers of these people. It is proposed in Congress that 200,000 homeless, unwanted, destitute human beings be brought to America to be cared for. This emergency is one which our churches cannot ignore without serious loss to ourselves.

IV. We protest the unethical double standard of militarism, which makes it our own right and duty to be the strongest nation, while we refuse any such right or duty to any potential enemy nation; also which justifies our own implicit obedience to our own High Command in war-time, while we declare our enemy a war criminal for observing the same code. This double standard makes an armament race inevitable and leads eventually to war. We pledge ourselves to the creation of public sentiment that shall lead, through the instrumentalities of the United Nations, to world disarmament.

V. "The church must not think it has solved the problems of contemporary society by summoning men to a holy war against Communism. It must understand the dynamic challenge to our faith that lies in Communism. . . . It is the hope that the masses behold in Communism that which hypnotizes them." So spoke our Bishops in the Episcopal address.

We call attention to the words "the hope that the masses behold in Communism." Communism calls all the world's poor, all the homeless, jobless, hungry millions of earth to unite and work and fight for freedom from poverty, and from every form of exploitation of man by man. It promises a home for every family, a job for every worker, food, clothing, medical care and hospital service, social and racial equality, and education for all. This is the lure of Communism. It has divided up the great estates of the Greek and Roman Catholic churches, and of wealthy families, and parceled out a few acres of land to each of thousands of families to be worked under directions of the State. Similarly, it is taking over the church schools and the industrial holdings, to operate them under state control for the benefit of all. The Episcopal address refers to the "Holy War on Communism" and states, "the real purpose that lies behind the war is to retain the power, the property, and the prestige possessed by those who advocate it."

We reject Communism. But we point out that it is our task to show that American democracy does more for men and offers more to men than Communism. To do this, we need to do better than we have been doing in the fields of both industry and religion. Our own industrial strikes and turmoil, our soaring rents, our thousands of families hunting a place to live, our skyrocketing prices, our racial discriminations, our impassable Catholic-Protestant-Jewish barriers, these all are providing the fuel for Communist fires.

Is Christianity better than Communism? Will it do more for men? We must show that it will. Are the Christian Ideals being lived, or are they too impractical to be put into operation? Do the professed followers of Jesus follow his example? Christianity is facing a show down. If the Christian Ideals ever can be lived, the time to live them has come.

Samuel W. Marble, Chairman.

MINIMUM SUPPORT, SUSTENTATION, AND RELIEF

Pursuant to the Discipline (1944, Par. 806-809) we recommend the following Plan for Minimum Support, Sustentation, and Relief in the Colorado Annual Conference.

I. Organization

1. The Board of Minimum Support, Sustentation, and Relief shall administer the Plan adopted by the Annual Conference.

2. The Board shall consist of one minister and one layman from each District of the Conference, and one member at large, to be nominated by the Committee on Nominations and elected annually by the Annual Conference. The Board may fill vacancies occurring during the Conference year.

3. The Board shall convene during the session of the Annual Conference at which its members are elected; at which meeting these officers shall be chosen: Chairman, Vice Chairman, Secretary, Treasurer.

4. The Board may convene at other times during the Conference year on call of the Chairman. A majority of its members shall constitute a quorum, with full authority to conduct the business of the Board.

5. The Treasurer of the Board shall make disbursements as authorized by the Board, over the signature of its Chairman and Secretary; provided that the Vice-Chairman may substitute for the Chairman in cases of illness or absence from the State.

6. The Board shall preserve complete records of its transactions.

7. A complete financial statement shall be presented annually to the Annual Conference, and shall be printed in the Journal of that session of the Conference. The names of Pastors and Charges receiving Minimum Support assistance, and the amounts received, shall appear in this report.

8. Upon the adoption of this Plan and the election of said Board the present Brotherhood Fund Committee shall turn over to said Board all records and funds in its possession, and shall be discharged.

II. Financial Plan.

1. The basis of Minimum Support, Sustentation, and Relief for each succeeding year shall be determined by Conference action, on recommendation of the Commission on World Service and Finance.

2. The minimum cash salary (including Missionary money) for full-time Charges and full-time Pastors for the Conference year 1949-1950 shall be: Full time, married Pastors, \$2000 and house; Full time, unmarried Pastors, \$1800. Should a Charge not provide a parsonage, an additional 20% shall be allowed for married Pastors.

3. A Charge paying less than two-thirds of the minimum salary (this being determined by the classification of the Pastor) (not including Missionary money) shall not be considered full-time.

4. However, a Charge unable to meet these standards and geographically so situated as to make it impracticable to join it to another Charge upon the recommendation of the District Superintendent, may receive from the Minimum Support Fund an amount equal to one-half of its estimated salary (exclusive of Missionary money) subject to the provisions of V, 6.

5. A full-time Pastor is defined as one who is engaged solely in the ministry and is living on the Charge which he serves.

6. Only full-time Pastors serving full-time Charges shall be eligible for Minimum Support assistance (except those qualifying under 4, above).

7. Retired ministers and student-charge Pastors shall not be considered full-time Pastors.

8. Missionary money shall be included in determining the minimum salary.

III. Estimate of Need and Method of Apportionment

1. Before the opening session of the Annual Conference the District Superintendents shall report to the Chairman of the Board the names of Charges whose estimated pastoral support (including Missionary money) for the coming year falls below the minimum support schedule, and the amounts of the deficiencies. Also names of Charges, and amounts allowable, under II, 4.

2. The estimate for Relief needs for the year 1949-1950 shall not exceed \$800.

3. The sum of the expected deficiencies, plus the amounts estimated by the Board for expenses of operation and for relief shall be reported to the Conference Commission on World Service and Finance.

4. Eighty per cent of the amount adopted by the Annual Conference shall be apportioned to the Charges of the Conference by the Commission on

World Service and Finance on the basis of other Conference apportionments.

5. Twenty per cent of the amount adopted by the Annual Conference shall be apportioned to the ministers of the Conference (including Pastors, District Superintendents, and those under special apportionment) whose cash salaries exceed the highest minimum support figure for the Conference year just closing. These assessments shall be based on that part of the salary of each over and above the amount which the Conference has designated as the highest minimum support figure for the year just closing. In case the minister must provide his own house he shall be allowed an exemption equal to 20% of his cash salary.

IV. Payments and Record of Payments

1. Payments to the Fund shall be made to the Treasurer of the Annual Conference, who shall issue official vouchers therefor. He shall remit those funds quarterly to the Treasurer of the Board of Minimum Support, Sustentation, and Relief.

2. There shall be a column in the Conference Journal marked "Sustentation."

V. Distribution of Funds

1. After expenses of administration of the Fund have been paid, and the amount devoted to relief cases has been deducted, the remainder (or the portion thereof needed) shall be available for distribution as a Minimum Support Fund.

2. Relief funds shall be available to any minister working under the direction of the Annual Conference, and shall be distributed only upon the written recommendation of the District Superintendent and the authorization of the Board. Requests for relief assistance shall be made to the District Superintendent, and not to the Board.

3. Distribution of Funds shall be to ministers, and not to Charges.

3. Distribution of Minimum Support Funds shall be made by the Treasurer of the Board at the end of each quarter of the Conference year.

5. No minister shall receive in excess of \$700 from Minimum Support Funds during any Conference year.

6. In no case shall payment from Minimum Support Funds cause the support of the Pastor (including Missionary money) to exceed the minimum support indicated by his classification.

7. If the combined salaries of the Pastor and his wife equal the minimum support set for the year, the Pastor shall not receive minimum support assistance.

8. No distribution of Minimum Support Funds shall be made to cover the failure of a Charge to meet its own salary estimate for the year.

9. No minister shall be eligible for Minimum Support assistance for more than three successive Conference years on the same Charge without a three-fourths vote of the members of the Board.

10. No minister shall be eligible for help from the Minimum Support Fund whose Charge has not observed Paragraph 264, 2-5 (1944 Discipline).

11. No payment of Minimum Support Funds shall be made to a minister who has failed to prorate, or whose Charge has failed to prorate, the various ministerial claims (Discipline, 1944, par. 803).

12. In the event a Pastor's classification changes during a Conference year, his participation in this Plan shall be determined on a pro-rata basis.

VI. Concluding Statement

1. No part of this plan herein set forth, and no future alterations thereof, shall be so construed as to give a minister or a Charge the right to sue in civil court for any claim whatever. Sole recourse shall be to the Annual Conference for such adjustment as the Annual Conference may be able to make in brotherly love and Christian honor.

2. District Superintendents and Pastors shall bring this plan and its objectives to the attention of congregations, and Quarterly and District Conferences.

The Commission on World Service and Finance
Guy E Konkel, Chairman.

COMMITTEE ON TEMPERANCE

In view of the fact that General Conference has met so recently, we urge that all ministers and Church leaders acquaint themselves with the Temperance legislation of that body.

First, we rejoice to know that Bishop Wilbur E. Hammaker is to continue his effective contribution to the work of our own church in this area of reform, and also to the rest of the organizations of the land that are arrayed against beverage alcohol. He has earned an enviable and highly significant place of national leadership in the whole country-wide revival of concern. His strength of body and mind make sure that his presence in the fight will be most meaningful in the years that lie ahead.

General Conference passed unanimously the adoption of the first Sunday in Lent as Commitment Sunday. The last three decades of the 19th century saw most leading denominations active in pledge signing programs, a fact which largely explains the great victories of the first two decades in the 20th century. Commitment Sunday was the first pledge-signing movement since the turn of the century in any major denomination, and from all reports, it was a wonderful success.

We adopt the following program for the coming year:

1. That all ministers, Church leaders and local congregations do all in their power to secure the largest vote possible in favor of the Local Option Amendment, in cooperation with other Churches and with the local councils of Interchurch Temperance.

2. That each Church supports the Interchurch Temperance Movement faithfully and generously, and cooperate in all phases of its program of education and action.

3. That an adequate and systematic program of temperance education be included in all age groups of our church schools and in our summer youth camps.

4. That our men's groups, especially, as well as women's societies and youth groups, give special attention to the study of applied Christianity as related to the citizenship duties of Church people, particularly their opposition to influences and enterprises which encourage drinking, gambling and other vices which destroy character.

The Colorado Conference of the Methodist Church again affirms its affiliation as a cooperating denomination in the Interchurch Temperance Movement of Colorado, with official representation on its Board of Directors as follows:

- a. Superintendent of the Denver-Grand Junction District, ex officio.
- b. George Hetherington.

Samuel L. Maxwell.

REPORT OF THE UNIVERSITY OF DENVER

During the 1947-48 year the University enrolled 16,500 different students as compared with 13,400 last year. Approximately 68% of our student enrollment this year has been veterans. Our foreign student enrollment now numbers 150.

The Department of Religious Activities has received new impetus this year, with a full-time director, a full-time assistant, and three student assistants. The Religious Council is composed of one member from each of the 15

organized religious groups on the campus.

The Student Personnel Service, which was organized in 1946, has developed the following departments: Evaluation Center, Office of Registration and Records, Counseling Service, Division of Student Activities, Student Housing, Student Health Service, Office of Placement and Field Relations, Veterans Advisory Service, and Veterans Administration Guidance Center.

Among the many accomplishments of the year might be noted: (1) The adoption of a faculty retirement plan which increases the savings of staff members from 10% to 15% of the base salary, the University paying one-half and the faculty member paying one-half; (2) Adoption of a tenure plan; (3) The reorganization of the administration into four major functions: namely, curriculum and instruction, student personnel, finance and property control, and public affairs; (4) Construction completed on cafeteria, the women's gymnasium and the ROTC Building (temporary structures); (5) Construction under way on the Echo Lake Laboratory, the dormitory for Inter-University High Altitude Laboratories, and the Field House, and contract let for Civic Center Classroom Building.

Other urgent building needs are: (1) The Professional building to include College of Law and other units; (2) Hotel and Restaurant Management building combined with the Student Union facilities on the Civic Center Campus; (3) Student Union Building on University Park Campus; (4) Women's Dormitory; (5) Communications Institute Building which will house radio, journalism, theater management, television, and speech departments; (6) Building Industries Building to house architecture, building construction, and real estate management departments; (7) general recreational area project.

James F. Price,
Chancellor University of Denver.

UNITED CAMPAIGN COMMITTEE

Following the action of the Annual Conference the Bishop appointed a committee of fifteen to raise \$355,500 for the three causes, Iliff School of Theology, Retirement Fund for Pastors, and the Youth Camps.

We come now to make a progress report. On the last report from the Charges of the Conference we find some outstanding and encouraging achievements. A number of the churches have oversubscribed their quotas, others are well along toward completion of their quotas, a few have not yet started.

A summary of the report is incorporated:

R. O. Gilpin—Colorado Springs-Pueblo District.

Goal	\$106,995
Pledged in cash	89,260
Yet to be raised	17,735

R. C. Baker—Denver-Grand Junction District.

Goal	\$150,687
Pledged and cash	111,359
Yet to be raised	39,328

J. L. Spargo—Greeley District.

Goal	\$100,928
Pledged and cash	78,500
Yet to be raised	22,428

This report shows that we have raised about 75% of the total with 25% yet to be raised. Some churches have not started the campaign and some need to revitalize and finish the job.

The Committee has set the month of October, 1948, for the clean up campaign. We will have "flying squadrons" of laymen and ministers to assist in every church where there is need. Will you give us the opportunity to help you.

We cannot well afford to short change the Iliff School of Theology if we

expect to have ministers in the future. We cannot hope to stem the tide of juvenile delinquency unless we provide adequate programs and housing for our young people. We certainly would take bread out of the mouths of those who have served us so faithfully in the past.

These causes are of first importance in the life of our church. Let us not fail in our duty.

E. C. Harrah, Chairman.

WESLEY FOUNDATION

Wesley Foundation functions at four tax-supported schools of higher learning in the State of Colorado, at Boulder, Fort Collins, Greeley, and Alamosa. Nearly 3,000 Methodist-preference students were enrolled in these institutions this year. They come from communities and Methodist Churches in every part of Colorado and from virtually every state of the Union. They represent an important religious responsibility, which the local Churches in those centers, their pastors and student workers gladly accept, and to which they devote themselves in sacrificial service and investment.

Methodism as a whole, including the Colorado Conference, has recognized an obligation to share the responsibility of this ministry to college students, to support it constructively with money, interest and prayers, and to that end maintains Wesley Foundations at these centers. For that interest and support, there is deep appreciation, and earnest prayers for its continuance and expansion.

Never has the ministry of Wesley Foundation been more needed. In this post-war period of deflated hopes and broken promises, disillusionment and cynicism again are rampant. To steady the Christian faith of students, to help it grow mature and self-reliant amid all the conflicting winds that blow, to make it as intellectually respectable as any field of science or learning encountered at college, to keep it vitally real, personally recreative, constantly productive of more Christ-like character and career, to harness it practically and actively through intelligent loyalties and self-conscious commitments to effective churchmanship and Kingdom building, to cause it to express itself in the practice of Christian stewardship in every vocation, and with some of the choicest of these students to issue in consecrated full-time Christian service in the employ of the Church, to nurture it within the shelter of a happy, wholesome Christian fellowship, and send it forth with a vision of the "world as its parish," dedicated to the task of helping to build the World Christian Community, that is the imperative need.

To meeting that comprehensive need, the Wesley Foundations at these four centers are vigorously engaged, maintaining a rich and widely varied program. All of the nearly 3,000 Methodist-preference students have been contacted, more than once during the year, by invitation, publicity materials, by mail, telephone, personal and other appeals, reminding them that religion should be given a proper place in their lives as students. The vast majority have responded in some fashion. The greater number have shared the regular worship services and thus have come under the influence of the preaching in these college centers. Their presence by the hundreds in these churches Sunday after Sunday is a perpetual challenge and inspiration to preachers and people alike.

Perhaps one-fourth of the total number have participated more fully in other activities, in Study Classes, Evening Forums, Social Affairs, Dramatics, State-wide Conferences and the Older Youth Institute. Christian growth has resulted especially from programs developed around practical projects of unselfish helpfulness to Sunday School Classes, younger Youth Groups, Deputation Teams to neighboring churches, Overseas Relief and World Evangelism. Counseling by the Student Workers and Pastors at these Wesley Foundation Centers is of utmost importance, takes hours of time and covers a wide range of personal problems.

Never has the ministry of Wesley Foundation been more rewarding and

fruitful. It appears in the generous, often sacrificial support the students are giving financially to the Wesley Foundation programs in each of these centers, and in the fact that they are giving as much of their money for others as for themselves. It appears in reports of Wesley Foundation alumni, graduated from college, settled in many different communities in their various vocations, but continuing active in the local Churches, in manifold ways supplying valuable leadership. It appears in a selected number going on in preparation for the Christian Ministry and other forms of full-time service in the employ of the Church, or already engaged in it. It appears in marriages and homes established by many of these young people on Christian foundations, with well-informed understandings and well-defined Christian purposes.

Wesley Foundation merits the continued support of the Conference. We who are working at these centers pledge our utmost effort, by God's help, to bring to the young people committed to our care during their student years the Christian Ministry they need.

Henry L. Weiss, Chairman.

WORLD PEACE COMMISSION

Your Commission on World Peace desires to bring to the Annual Conference a report and certain recommendations.

Status of "Debt of Honor"

Last June the Annual Conference adopted this recommendation of its Commission on World Service and Finance:

"Recognizing our moral obligation to reimburse the 'Peace Churches' for their care of our Colorado Methodist conscientious objectors, we urge that this cause be so presented by the Pastors to our people that all who are interested may have definite opportunity to contribute. \$3300 is still due these Churches for ministry to Colorado Methodists."

It was reported to the Conference that the "Peace Churches" had agreed to use all such moneys for relief in war-ravaged lands, and the Conference Peace Commission was instructed to bring to the attention of our Churches and Pastors this agreement and the Conference action, in a vigorous effort this year to liquidate completely the Conference's "Debt of Honor."

Pursuant to that charge, your Peace Commission sent three communications to all the Churches and Pastors, in the course of the year. On June 15th, the Conference Treasurer's books showed remittances for this cause totaling \$917.75. In addition, individuals and groups during the year sent contributions to the Chicago Office direct, substantially reducing this obligation of the Colorado Conference. According to the most recent figure received from the Chicago Office, the balance still due is \$707.59. This is a very small amount remaining from the original obligation of \$7,648. It should not be permitted to remain to mar the record of the Conference.

Recommendation: We, therefore, recommend that out of income for Conference Benevolence Causes, the Conference Treasurer be instructed to remit to the Chicago Office, at the end of this Conference Year, an amount sufficient to pay in full the balance due at that time on our debt of honor to the "Peace Churches."

Peace Education and Action

The General Conference for 1948, the highest representative and legislative body of Methodism, has just declared the official judgment of The Methodist Church on the issues of war and peace. The vote for adoption was overwhelming, about six to one.

It included these major affirmations or reaffirmations:

"War is a defiance of the righteousness of God as revealed in Jesus Christ and Him Crucified. It involves compulsory enmity, diabolical outrage of human personality, and a wanton distortion of truth."

The Church must use its spiritual power to destroy war or war will destroy

the Church and Humanity.

"Since Christianity and war are utterly opposed, the Church as the Body of Christ, the carrier of the Gospel, the institution that bears Christ's name, must not give war its moral support or become the agent of any government for its furtherance. The task of the Church is healing, reconciliation, the removal of prejudice and hate, the cementing of bonds of brotherhood, the exalting of God as the Father and Ruler of all mankind and Christ as the Saviour of all. This task it cannot perform if it becomes a partisan in international conflict and destruction."

"The primary conditions of peace lie in the attitudes of men. Since the Church in a unique way holds in its keeping the moral and spiritual forces needed for a peaceful world, the Church has a unique and God-given responsibility," to expose the "unholy aspects and fertile causes of war," and to interpret the "decisive word the Christian Gospel has to speak to each of these factors."

"The Command of Christ and political realism unite in making this ministry (of relief of suffering) an essential condition of peace, for war walks on the heels of hunger.

"It (the United Nations Organization) should be strengthened by larger financial support and greater use made of it in the economic field. . . . We look beyond it to the development of world government through more effective use of the machinery now available.

"Peace in the immediate future depends primarily on the establishment of better relationships between the Soviet Union and the United States. Whether the tensions and issues which divide these two powers can be resolved by orderly processes is one of the supreme challenges of our time. Christian men and women especially have an inescapable responsibility to resist a mood of despair, blind hatred, hysteria and hopelessness. They should seek to develop mutual understanding in which differences with Russia can be reconciled. We affirm our conviction that war between the Soviet Union and the United States is not inevitable. . . . We urge our government to support a continuing process of negotiations on diplomatic, high levels.

"We recognize the need of national defense. When nations rely primarily on military force, both the spiritual and economic foundations of peace are undermined. Fear and suspicion increase the danger of hostilities; the diversion of wealth to this channel withdraws it from the constructive pursuits of peace. . . . The Charter of the United Nations opens the way to halting the armament race. . . . We call upon our government to take the lead in making this action effective.

"Seven Church-wide organizations of The Methodist Church, led by the Council of Bishops, have declared their opposition to any system of peacetime universal military training. We reaffirm this stand and appeal to the United States to give bold leadership looking toward the universal abolition of peacetime conscription by and through the United Nations."

"According to the Christian faith, all persons, however economically or culturally underprivileged, wherever located, are of supreme and equal worth in the sight of God. We protest, therefore, against all forms of domination of subject peoples for the advantage of those more favorably situated."

"In our interdependent world, we realize there can be no lasting economic well-being or security in one part of the world while want and insecurity exist elsewhere. . . . The peace must make provision for bringing within the scope of international agreement those economic and financial acts of national governments which have widespread international repercussions. . . . Economic imperialism has had its day and must give way to ideals of service and cooperation."

Recommendations

We recommend (1) that the full text of the Pronouncement on War and Peace adopted by the last General Conference be called to the attention of our people; (2) that it be distributed to our people in the Churches when it is made available in printed folder form; (3) that it be made the basis of study and

discussion in the W. S. C. S., the Brotherhoods, Adults Classes, Youth Groups, Institutes and other bodies of our churches; (4) that the section of the Episcopal Address to the last General Conference entitled "International Situation" be included in such study; (5) that sometime during this year, either in the fall District Meetings, or in a special seminar, our preachers and lay leaders be given opportunity for thorough study of these pronouncements and their implications; and (6) that, in line with the position of our Church affirmed by the General Conference, the people of our local Churches be kept constantly alert to register the Christian will to peace when and where important decisions affecting the peace are to be made.

Henry L. Weiss, Chairman.

REPORT OF COMMISSION ON WORLD SERVICE AND FINANCE Budget

General Administration	\$ 2,979	
Episcopal Fund	5,450	
Jurisdictional Conference (for the Quadrennium).....	2,480	
Conference Claimants	43,200	
District Superintendents—Salary, \$4,000; house rent, \$900; expense account (on voucher), up to \$1,100; reserve, \$700.....	18,700	
	Apportioned	% of
	Askings	Total
World Service	\$56,384	73.8
Total Annual Conference Benevolences.....	20,017	26.2
Board of Missions and Church Extension.....	1,452	1.9
Conference Board of Education	4,966	6.5
Commission on World Service and Finance.....	1,069	1.4
Entertainment, Minutes, Sec., Statis., Treas.....	1,681	2.2
Illiff School of Theology	2,598	3.4
Lay Activities	688	.9
Methodist Student Foundation	840	1.1
Spanish Speaking Parishes	1,910	2.5
University of Denver	1,069	1.4
Wesley Foundation	2,980	3.9
Youth Training Commission	764	1.0
Total World Service and Conference Causes.....	\$76,401	100.0

Recommendations

1. That all apportionments to the Charges be made on the "Adjusted Budget" plan, followed for years by this Conference, consideration being given special cases, upon the recommendation of the District Superintendent. That a column on the apportionment sheet show the giving to World Service and Finance, if above the apportionment. We commend these Churches for their "second mile" giving, and urge them to give at least the same amount next year.

2. That we authorize the Board of Education to apportion to the Charges the sum of \$2,500 as a Rally Day Offering.

3. That we authorize the Board of Education to make an appeal to our people for the support of the Extension Program of the Board.

4. That we suggest that Churches using the University of Denver scholarship send to the Department of Religious Activities of the University \$5 or more as a token of appreciation of this courtesy of the University.

5. That a sum to cover travel expenses of Pastors and Lay Members of the Conference be apportioned to the Charges.

6. That the following schedule of Assessments for the Permanent Fund of the Methodist Pension Fund, Inc., used for the past thirteen years be continued:

Salary, \$1,500 or less-----1.00%	Salary, \$2701 to \$3000, inc. 1.25%
Salary, \$1501 to \$1800, inc. 1.10%	Salary, \$3001 to \$3300, inc. 1.30%
Salary, \$1801 to \$2100, inc. 1.10%	Salary, \$3301 to \$3600, inc. 1.35%
Salary, \$2001 to \$2400, inc. 1.15%	Salary, \$3601 to \$3900, inc. 1.40%
Salary, \$2401 to \$2700, inc. 1.20%	Salary, \$3901 to \$4200, inc. 1.45%

(The above ratio increase is maintained to the end of the salary scale.)

7. There remains unpaid of our debt to the Peace Churches for their care of our Colorado Methodist conscientious objectors the sum of \$708. We recommend that the Treasurer of the Conference be authorized to pay, from Conference Causes Funds, any balance that may remain unpaid at the end of the Conference year.

8. It is understood that Iliff School of Theology, The Methodist Pension Fund, Inc., and Youth Institutes may continue solicitation of contributions of \$1,000 or more, within the bounds of the Conference, such gifts having no relation to the United Campaign for \$355,500.

9. We again authorize the Colorado Council of Churches to appeal to our Churches for contributions in the amount of \$1,000 or more.

10. We commend the purpose of the United Campaign Committee to complete the solicitation of funds as early as possible, and urge all Churches to speed the securing of pledges and cash payments.

11. That consideration of the Plan for Minimum Support, Sustentation, and Relief, submitted one year ago, be deferred for one year; and that the Commission on World Service and Finance be permitted to reprint this Plan in this year's Journal, with certain amendments desired by the Commission.

12. That the Brotherhood Committee be continued, with authority to appeal to the Pastors to contribute to this fund.

13. We urge the Superintendents and Pastors to inform our people regarding the Advance Program of the Church for the quadrennium, particularly the securing of special gifts designated to projects in home and foreign fields, with emphasis upon these in connection with the Week of Dedication Offerings.

14. That we request the Treasurers of Churches to indicate clearly the causes to which their remittances apply.

15. We present the following resolutions: Resolved, that the Treasurer of the Colorado Conference of the Methodist Church, and the Treasurer of the Board of Education of the Colorado Conference of The Methodist Church, be hereby authorized to borrow, from time to time, such sums of money as may be necessary in conducting the business of this Conference; and to sign notes in the name of this Conference for such loans. And that all loans heretofore made in the name of this Conference be and the same are hereby ratified and confirmed.

Resolved, that the said Treasurers may borrow money as authorized in the above resolution for the purpose of making monthly payments to the District Superintendents, and the Executive Secretary of the Conference Board of Education under the direction of the Commission on World Service and Finance, provided that the total expenditure shall not exceed the authorized budget.

16. Payments on the following causes should be sent to the Treasurer, M. Allen Keith, Room 318, Trinity Building, Denver 2, Colorado.

Dist. Supt., Episc. Fund, Conf. Claimants, General Adm., Juris. Conf., World Service & Conf. Causes, Designated Gifts to World Service and Conf. Causes, Youth Fund (General, Nashville, Tennessee), Race Relations, Overseas Relief, Travel Fund, Rally Day, Special World Service and Conf. Causes, and United Campaign Fund.

Other Treasurers:

Pine Crest—W. R. Burnett, Brush, Colorado.

Grand Mesa—Clarence E. Drexel, Crawford, Colorado.

Brotherhood Fund—A. E. Plummer, Loveland, Colorado.

Pension Fund or Conf. Investments—L. G. Dawson, Trinity Bldg., Denver, Colorado.

American Bible Society—650 17th Street, Denver, Colorado.

Colorado Council of Churches—Warren Young, Trinity Bldg., Denver, Colorado.

City Missions or Denver City Extension—H. E. Popham, Equitable Bldg., Denver, Colorado.

GUY E. KONKEL, Chairman.

Revised Report on Budget

The Jurisdictional Conference having merged the Utah Mission into the Colorado Conference, establishing it as an integral part of the Colorado Conference, the Budget items of the preceding report must be revised.

General Administration	\$ 3,236	
Episcopal Fund	5,950	
Jurisdictional Conference	845	
Conference Claimants	45,150	
District Superintendents—Salary, \$4,000; house rent (Colorado), \$900; Utah (upkeep of parsonage), \$250; expense account (on voucher), up to \$1,100; reserve, \$700. Total, \$24,050. Less \$900 appropriated to Utah by the General Board.....	23,150	
	Apportioned	% of
	Askings	Total
World Service	\$61,241	75.36
Conference Causes	20,019	24.64
Board of Missions and Church Extension.....	1,454	1.79
Conference Board of Education.....	4,956	6.1
Commission on World Service and Finance.....	1,056	1.3
Entertainment, Minutes, Sec., Treas., Statistician.....	1,706	2.1
Iliff School of Theology.....	2,600	3.2
Lay Activities	690	.85
Methodist Student Foundation	845	1.04
Spanish Speaking Parishes	1,910	2.35
University of Denver	1,056	1.3
Wesley Foundation	2,982	3.67
Youth Training Commission	764	.94
Total World Service and Conference Causes.....	\$81,260	100.00

Guy E. Konkell, Chairman

COLORADO METHODIST YOUTH FELLOWSHIP

The year from June, 1947, to June, 1948, has been one of importance and significance for the Youth Fellowships of Colorado, as well as for those of the world. With the inception of the Methodist Youth Fellowship as the beginning of our journey, we have slowly, but steadily, traveled along the road to God's kingdom.

In September the administration groups, the Western Slope Council and the Eastern Section Council, met at Grand Junction and Denver respectively, to lay plans for the big projects of the year. Both groups followed the same order of business in setting up machinery for the Mid-Winter Institutes, and promoting the Methodist Youth Conference at Cleveland.

Before this wonderful conference took place in Cleveland from December 30 to January 2, there was a great deal of work done by members of our group in Colorado, as in other states. A committee for advertising was selected, and a committee for all business details, which included transportation arrangements, registration, promotion, the trip, and all business while at Cleveland. This committee consisted of Rev. Ben H. Christner, Rev. J. R. Palmer, Rev. Joseph Uemura, Lynn Jackson, and Everett Wood. All arrangements were nicely taken care of and plans precisely executed which did much toward the success of the conference for the youth of our state.

The presidents of both councils, Hubert Wubben (West) and Joe Uemura

(East), were sent and approximately seventy of our people made the trip. The Colorado delegation was one to be proud of, I assure you. This group knew the purpose of the conference and trip, and it meant much to them.

The Eastern Section held their institutes at La Junta and Longmont during the middle of January, and the Western Slope convened at Eagle and Fruita the latter part of January and the first of February. The theme for both institutes was the theme of the Methodist Youth Conference at Cleveland. Classes on subjects which are needed to give dynamic force to our young people and our organization were led by prominent leaders in the Methodist Church of Colorado. A promising attendance was seen in both sections; the Eastern Section had a total of 466 young people, and the Western Slope had a total of 242.

The council members of the two Youth Councils were elected at these Institutes. The members of these councils have met, organized, and planned for the coming year. The Western Council met at Rifle, April 10, 1948. The members of the council and the officers selected are as follows:

Rev. Ben Christner	Kay Clauses, Treasurer
Rev. J. R. Palmer	Rita Randall
Rev. Willis Phelps	Barbara Doran
Rev. Paul Shields	Hubert Wubben
Lyle Burt, president	Lewis Howard
Robert Scott, vice president	Don Ross
Virginia Baker, secretary	Shirley Todd

The Eastern Youth Council met at Palmer Lake, April 17 and 18, 1948. The members of the council and the officers selected are as follows:

Rev. Ben Christner	Dave Beaty
Rev. J. R. Palmer	Don Rhodes
Joe Uemura	John Peasley
Glen Hamlyn, president	Sally Wormwood
Leo Sprinkle, vice-president	Everett Wood
Virginia Christner, secretary	Peggy Metzger
Robert Musil, treasurer	Dick Babcock
Don Hammond	Bob Downing
Peggy Piper	

Among the many plans made by these councils, a Colorado Methodist Youth Conference was proposed in connection with the Annual Colorado Conference in Denver; the youth rally to be held June 19 and 20, 1948. Plans have been set, publicity sent out, housing prepared, speakers contacted, and all other arrangements made that make possible such a gathering.

The Methodist Church has done much for its youth. It must continue to realize its duty to work with its youth and make every effort to inspire its young people, who will be the church of tomorrow. With clear thinking, careful planning, and the help of God, we shall go forward to a world where Christ shall be above all.

GLEN H. HAMLYN,
President Colorado MYF (East)

GRAND MESA INTERDENOMINATIONAL YOUTH CONFERENCE

The Grand Mesa Interdenominational Youth Conference composed of the following Western Slope denominations: Christian, United Brethren, Presbyterian U. S. A., United Presbyterian, and Congregational, have approached the Grand Mesa Epworth League Association on the basis of the present investment and to go on from there by matching dollar for dollar all money expended by the Methodist Church for the building program. The Grand Mesa Interdenominational Conference requests equal governing representation on a joint Board of Trustees, to be composed of members of the Grand Mesa Epworth League Association and members of the Grand Mesa Interdenominational Christian Conference.

The Executive Committee of the Grand Mesa Epworth League Association

has held two meetings with the Grand Mesa Interdenominational Youth Conference representatives. These two meetings were held to merely consider the possibilities of union.

In view of this the Grand Mesa Epworth League Association requests permission to enter into negotiation with the Grand Mesa Interdenominational Association, with power to act, looking forward to a union on the basis of their proposed proposition

Paul A. Shield
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RESOLUTION REGARDING UTAH MISSION

Whereas, since the beginning of Methodist work in Utah, close and cordial relationships have existed between the Utah Mission and the Colorado Conference and,

Whereas, the Utah Mission is sending to the Western Jurisdictional Conference a resolution unanimously adopted on June 5, 1948, asking that it be merged with the Colorado Conference, establishing it as an integral part of the Colorado Conference.

Therefore, be it resolved that the Colorado Conference concur in this resolution and request that the relationship become effective on the day that the action is taken by the Jurisdictional Conference.

GUY E. KONKEL.

(c.) Conference Statistician
STATISTICAL TABLE NO. 1—Colorado Springs-Pueblo District

List No.	CHARGE AND CHURCH	NAME OF PASTOR	MEMBERSHIP										CHURCH SCHOOL STATISTICS										
			Baptisms			Total Full Members—							Enrollment			Enrollment							
			1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	
			Infants Presented by Parents or Guardian	All Others: Children, Youth, Adults	Baptized Children Now on Preparatory Roll	Total Full Mem. Reported Last Year—Active, Inactive	Received From Prep. Mem. and on Profession of Faith	Received by Transfer and Reinstated	Removed by Death	Removed by Transfer and Otherwise	Total Full Members—Active	Total Full Members—Inactive	Total Full Members—Active and Inactive	Total Local Preachers	No. Ch. Schools on Charge	Officers and Teachers	Nursery Department—Birth to 3 Years	Children's Division—4-11 Years	Youth Division—12-23 Years	Adult Div., Exclusive Of Home Department	Home Department	Total Enrollment (Add 14-19 Inclusive)	
1	Alamosa	Clare J. Hayes	14	13	60	605	34	32	1	10	510	150	660	3	1	25	41	135	65	50	8	324	
2	Mosca	Clare J. Hayes	4	2	12	103	4				66	41	107			7	20	28	23	30		108	
3	Beulah	W. C. Cornelison	6		6	32	1	2	2		33		33			4	4	10	4	6		28	
4	Blanca	Herbert Dow	2			59				2	37	20	57			6		27	20	5		58	
5	Bowen	T. Manwaring	2		17	147					103	44	147			18	20	38	32	58		166	
6	Bristol	E. I. Selden	2	2	8	27	2	4	1	6	24	2	26			7	10	30	14	14		75	
7	Hartman	E. I. Selden	1	3	10	48	4	8		14	41	5	46			8	14	10	16			56	
8	Granada	E. I. Selden	2		2	15				11	4		4			6	10	12	8	8		44	
9	Canon City	Benj. Eitelgeorge	12	22	28	1111	51	60	7	16	817	382	1199			44	34	152	100	169	11	510	
10	Calhan	Kenneth E. Metcalf	3	4	13	189	6	2		95	43	59	102			10	15	27	29	24	4	109	
11	Yoder	Kenneth E. Metcalf			4	50			1		22	27	49			5	7	16	9	18		55	
12	Center	R. W. Drummond	11	3	24	335	9	8	1	23	263	65	328			19	30	95	52	58		254	
13	Saguache	R. W. Drummond				61					48	13	61			8	10	18	11	15		62	
14	Cheraw	J. T. Bainbridge	2	4	13	194	4	1	1	46	132	20	152			1	7	50	55	50	9	183	
15	Colorado Springs:																						
16	First Church	C. E. Albertson	83	63		2741	102	255	38	56	2354	650	3004			83	228	611	189	270	38	1419	
17	St. Paul's	Geo. E. Fort	4		25	162	2	3	1	10	100	56	156			1	16	10	57	12	47	10	152
18	Trinity	H. C. Alley	14	15	24	589	26	17	6	21	494	111	605			1	34	56	80	76	64	13	323
19	Wesley	Kenneth Smith	7	4	2	285	8	23	2	118	171	25	196			1	12	18	46	16	40	15	147
20	Leader	Kenneth Smith				64					57	7	64			1	6	10	25	20	10	91	156
21	Cripple Creek	Robt. Dibble	2	13	7	89	17	3	1	34	34	40	74			7	2	49	13	10	2	83	
22	Del Norte	Geo. W. Ellis	7	2	18	179	2	5	2	6	103	75	178			1	8	15	39	39	26	6	133
23	Eads	J. R. Jones	2	12	14	209	15	4	1	82	145	145	145			1	12	12	25	55	40	144	144
24	Haswell	J. R. Jones				50				1	32	17	49			1	8	6	12	6	12	44	156
25	Florence	F. A. Napier	7	4	7	161	7	3	4	9	118	40	158			1	12	16	22	31	25		156

26 Fountain.	Arthur Treman	2	21	113	23	6	1	12	81	25	106	1	10	38	50	30	25	153
27 Fowler	J. Paul Morgan	8	23	338	1	20	10	11	257	103	360	1	24	42	111	41	77	310
28 Gardner	L. O. Barnett	11	24	114	1	2	1	78	39	117	1	5	1	23	11	1	8	27
29 Holly	E. Tittsworth	3	11	24	153	4	1	147	79	156	1	12	12	23	96	31	86	263
30 La Junta	L. H. Sweetland	17	18	77	949	32	47	8	887	58	945	1	48	102	149	171	162	642
31 Lamar	Graydon Wilson	19	16	70	581	10	24	1	556	50	606	1	30	40	125	80	150	445
32 Las Animas	M. B. Beattie	20	13	55	484	16	24	1	441	49	490	1	26	80	89	83	105	388
33 La Veta	C. H. Hatfield	4	1	133	1	5	1	4	124	1	135	1	5	11	18	18	72	31
34 Manzana	J. R. Blevins	5	1	193	4	1	3	19	146	30	176	1	17	11	30	28	72	158
35 Mesita	Willard Dynes	1	15	15	1	1	1	15	15	1	15	1	3	1	9	12	12	36
36 Monte Vista	H. A. Chritchett	4	35	471	12	13	6	5	409	76	485	1	12	37	35	24	34	142
37 Olney Springs	Frank Drew	1	105	1	1	1	1	2	98	5	103	1	11	7	68	11	39	136
38 Ordway	H. M. Merkel	6	1	235	1	9	1	2	218	24	242	1	10	50	50	18	10	88
39 Sugar City	H. M. Merkel	4	8	102	4	5	1	2	95	14	109	1	9	30	30	23	10	72
40 Pueblo:																		
41 Bethel	Rowland Hill	27	22	849	29	24	5	33	750	114	864	1	44	112	217	140	105	642
42 First Church	W. E. Bell	14	22	900	28	30	8	60	890	1	890	1	28	35	75	110	90	338
43 Goodwill Ind.	A. W. Hall	12	15	20	1	1	1	1	18	1	19	1	3	34	5	3	9	20
44 Northern Ave.	D. J. Grooters	33	22	505	21	11	5	37	397	98	495	1	24	34	118	43	91	335
45 St. Paul's	T. B. McDivitt	8	1	1076	44	48	5	27	1029	107	1136	3	44	39	217	116	170	586
46 Trinity	B. B. Byus	21	10	279	16	10	2	3	206	94	300	1	14	14	43	15	84	182
47 Rocky Ford	F. A. McDaniel	3	5	137	20	37	4	7	707	90	797	1	31	23	132	77	165	443
48 Rye	J. W. Burnett	10	8	30	439	12	30	5	125	14	139	1	12	12	50	48	35	157
49 Salida	Cecil Simpson	11	13	196	14	28	2	2	373	93	466	1	21	21	93	52	25	212
50 Springfield	L. W. Edgett	8	1	23	1	5	1	1	45	6	51	1	10	15	30	18	10	88
51 Pritchett	L. W. Edgett	5	21	17	71	54	1	19	106	19	125	1	8	15	46	18	10	102
52 Walsh	L. W. Edgett	4	17	96	26	4	1	19	76	31	107	1	9	30	16	28	54	137
53 Two Buttes	J. W. Milsap	17	14	21	674	24	21	6	510	145	655	1	21	32	116	60	36	330
54 Swink	Keith Bruning	5	18	98	62	10	1	3	40	19	59	1	10	13	30	18	40	111
55 Towner	A. E. Plummer	3	4	91	10	10	1	2	72	9	99	1	10	10	37	25	22	104
56 Sheridan Lake	A. W. Lenz	12	20	350	20	16	6	6	234	140	374	1	10	14	62	32	20	148
57 Trinidad	H. R. Bauer	1	11	83	11	1	1	6	81	7	88	1	6	12	26	24	10	92
58 Hoehne	W. L. Reid	6	12	203	16	5	1	7	211	25	236	1	20	20	49	45	60	198
59 Vineland	R. E. Scarffe	2	6	88	6	24	1	2	90	95	95	1	13	12	20	46	8	187
60 Avondale	James Fletcher	1	10	1	1	1	1	1	12	12	24	1	4	1	2	1	96	14
61 Walsenburg																		
62 Westcliffe																		
63 Wiley																		
64 McClave																		
65 West Four Mile																		
		475,484	992	18617	756	889	155	1031	15657	3419	19076	14	61	977	1470	4005	2411	12391

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List No.	CHARGE AND CHURCH	CHURCH SCHOOL STATISTICS												Women's Soc. of Christian Service				CHURCH PROPERTY				
		Av. Attend. Add. Meets.		Children	Youth Fellowship	Adults	Methodist Pupils in Vocation Church Schools	Methodist Pupils in Weekday Schools	Pupils Joining Church on Profession of Faith	Are All Lesson Materials Used Approved by The Methodist Church?	Number Enrolled in Accred. Leadership Schools, Classes	Church School Offering for World Service, Conf. Benev.	Total Amount Raised by Ch. Sch. for All Purposes	No. Units of Organizat'n	Membership W. S. C. S.	Paid for Local Work	Membership, Wesleyan Service Guild	No. of Preaching Places	Estimated Value of Church Buildings, Equipment, and Land	Estimated Value of Parsonages, Furniture, and Land	Estimated Value of Other Property	Indebt. on Bldgs., Equip., Parsonages, & Cur. Exp.
		21	22																			
1	Alamosa	143	45	26	30	200	13	Yes	12	126	685	2	110	875	20	1	17000	6000	2000			
2	Mosca	43	14		24		2	Yes		48	180	1	25	180		1	4000	2000				
3	Beulah	24						Yes			40	40	35	200		1	3000	2000				
4	Blanca	35										1	20			1						
5	Bowen	73	15						No	66	253	1	44	566		1	5000	3000	3000			
6	Bristol	52	10				4	Yes		72	175	1	26	387		1	2000	1000				
7	Hartman	48					6	Yes		74	180	1	24	300		1	1000	1000				
8	Granada	40										1	12	53		1	2000	800				
9	Canon City	285	20	30	40	65	27	Yes	468	1807	2	127	1950	25		1	67000	3500				
10	Calhan	53	5				4	No	No	35	137	1	30	460		1	4500	2000				
11	Yoder	26						No	No	52	112	1	22	150		1	15000	5000	15000			
12	Center	120	15		70		5	Yes	125	436	1	105	482			1	3000	1500				
13	Saguache		14		25		4	Yes	94	222	1	54	255			1	5000	1000				
14	Cheraw	83														1						
15	Colorado Springs:																					
16	First Church	698	101	12	141		48	Yes	21	550	650	2	785	2037	35	1	147500	6000	2500			
17	St. Paul's	78						No	No	75	284	1	40	253		1	8000	3000	4000			
18	Trinity	173	21	35	65		26	Yes	6	35	514	2	135	647	25	1	40000	7000	2100			
19	Wesley	86	30	28	42		2	Yes	4	40	416	1	62	577		1	40000	6000				
20	Leader	35										1	30			1	4000		2000			
21	Cripple Creek	38	6					Yes		48	153					1	2000	800				
22	Del Norte	50					15	Yes			219	1	51	452		1	7500	2500				
23	Eads	95	6					Yes			195	1	60	1215		1	10000	1700				
24	Haswell	20						Yes		30	137	1	24	400		1	2000					
25	Florence	61					2	Yes		150	350	1	40	661		1	8000	1000				

26	Fountain	68	16	16	16	67	18	Yes	No	40	187	1	35	335	1	2500	2250
27	Fowler	156	12	12	12	67	18	Yes		156	548	1	108	700	1	40000	8000
28	Gardner	20	14	14	14	39	30	Yes		14	84	1	17	351	1	3500	1500
29	Holly	100	15	45	39	30	34	Yes	No	144	504	1	50	245	1	10000	3000
30	La Junta	375	15	25	80	120	34	Yes		192	1126	2	249	1944	33	65000	6500
31	Lamar	160	10	50	50	35	10	Yes		100	1084	2	100	441	28	50000	15000
32	Las Animas	128	20	12	12	35	10	Yes		735	735	1	125	210	1	10000	3000
33	La Veta	18	10	12	10	25	4	Yes		21	83	1	18	206	1	12000	3000
34	Manzanola	70	10	25	55	60	4	Yes		79	320	1	36	443	1	20000	5000
35	Mesita	23	12	12	65	65	3	Yes	No	242	774	1	123	645	1	125000	10000
36	Monte Vista	102	22	22	14	25	3	Yes		343	647	1	30	627	1	3000	2500
37	Olney Springs	76	25	15	25	60	3	Yes		68	240	1	48	206	1	10000	8000
38	Ordway	54	15	10	60	60	3	Yes		35	160	1	30	357	1	3000	2000
39	Sugar City	48	10	10	60	60	3	Yes		35	160	1	30	357	1	3000	2000
40	Pueblo:																
41	Bethel	257	10	20	10	150	10	Yes	No	243	1145	1	150	962	1	42000	4500
42	First Church	175	25	35	50	50	25	Yes		75	600	1	230	1700	1	100000	8000
43	Goodwill Industry	10	16	15	61	61	12	Yes		10	35	1	92	950	19	12000	6500
44	Northern Ave.	139	16	15	61	61	20	Yes		128	753	2	92	950	19	20000	6500
45	St. Paul's	265	8	14	10	93	20	Yes		318	1354	2	243	1210	29	100000	10000
46	Trinity	81	25	15	40	40	8	Yes		239	239	1	51	615	1	15000	5000
47	Rocky Ford	259	40	15	68	68	13	Yes		260	926	1	205	1591	1	65000	8500
48	Rye	85	15	15	68	68	9	Yes		92	345	1	50	1591	1	5000	2500
49	Salida	132	15	15	68	68	9	Yes		60	379	2	60	570	15	40000	4000
50	Springfield	80	12	15	68	68	1	Yes		137	595	1	40	132	1	25000	7500
51	Pritchett	51	41	10	58	58	1	Yes	No	157	352	1	16	404	1	500	1000
52	Walsh	41	12	22	22	22	3	Yes		125	404	1	36	404	1	10000	5000
53	Two Buttes	45	25	14	27	27	30	Yes		52	200	1	30	280	1	7500	1000
54	Swink	58	20	13	20	20	23	Yes		104	281	1	40	507	1	6000	4000
55	Towner	62	13	20	20	20	23	Yes		104	281	1	40	507	1	2000	5000
56	Sheridan Lake																
57	Trinidad	114	42	34	38	55	12	Yes	16	125	555	1	115	979	1	22000	4000
58	Hoehne	40	12	8	8	8	4	Yes	No	42	397	1	32	555	1	4000	2500
59	Vineland	46	15	15	15	15	4	Yes		87	397	1	35	286	1	4000	2500
60	Avondale																
61	Walsenburg	49	12	31	31	31	13	Yes		80	298	2	30	1257	12	54000	3500
62	Westcliffe	33	10	20	40	40	11	Yes		5	402	1	24	245	1	1800	1500
63	Wiley	81	20	20	40	40	13	Yes		80	402	1	69	247	1	8000	3000
64	McClave	70	15	30	35	35	6	Yes		70	610	1	57	502	1	5000	1500
65	West Four Mile							Yes		30	30						

29	John Collins	Edward B. Lewis	3	8	12	240	15	10	2	9	224	30	254	1	22	23	69	78	20	212	
27	Lakewood	H. P. Childress	20	10	40	355	15	30	3	16	351	30	381	1	34	22	250	80	55	12	
28	Merritt	W. R. Velfe	4	2	13	133	4	...	3	11	97	26	123	1	12	7	44	17	23	103	
29	Montclair	C. V. Graham	9	5	42	137	49	54	1	2	227	10	237	1	14	50	102	41	15	234	
30	Parkhill	A. K. Williams	44	62	194	1271	55	187	9	60	1300	144	1444	2	56	60	330	110	210	796	
31	Simpson	H. A. Hanke	11	7	11	222	26	18	1	46	192	27	219	1	20	65	80	61	53	286	
32	Spanish Church	David C. Sneros	12	3	8	504	3	2	5	1	345	158	503	1	10	18	70	40	40	20	
33	St. Paul's	C. O. Thibodeau	23	15	5	745	11	62	3	19	715	81	796	1	20	33	55	56	112	288	
34	Trinity	S. W. Marble	91	33	...	2504	89	218	32	114	2453	212	2665	1	144	245	215	187	496	26	
35	Univ. Park	Alexander Bryans	20	19	25	801	30	57	3	197	630	58	688	6	35	55	210	42	100	442	
36	Warren	Lowell B. Swan	27	6	80	795	21	43	7	28	618	206	824	1	19	45	112	59	63	320	
37	Washington Pk.	S. L. Maxwell	36	12	1472	49	72	8	53	1389	143	1532	1	90	101	598	168	83	22	1040	
38	Wesley	L. W. Coffman	3	14	12	156	7	4	2	17	101	47	148	1	24	4	157	25	28	238	
39	Wheat Ridge	C. J. Woolard	17	13	18	383	27	23	2	7	415	9	424	1	28	28	210	81	78	425	
40	Dolores	Geo. A. Turner	3	18	22	95	19	10	1	...	111	12	123	1	11	33	28	40	19	136	
41	Lewis	Geo. A. Turner	1	...	11	62	...	...	1	...	58	3	61	1	10	15	10	15	30	80	
42	De Beque	Rebecca Modelmog	2	...	13	48	1	1	...	16	17	3	20	1	6	5	24	25	12	72	
43	Dove Creek	J. Earl Lake	2	2	...	25	...	...	...	5	45	...	45	1	10	15	20	12	...	86	
44	Fairview	J. Earl Lake	12	11	38	306	9	16	2	28	273	28	301	1	16	11	54	49	35	175	
45	Durango	Homer E. Root	7	12	12	144	25	...	4	6	130	29	159	1	14	14	29	24	18	2	
46	Eagle	Paul Shields	1	...	1	44	...	...	...	...	28	15	43	1	6	8	24	5	5	101	
47	Gypsum	J. H. Wubben	13	6	47	331	11	28	3	10	292	65	357	1	23	27	114	43	38	50	
48	Fruita	Henry H. Baker	9	1	82	410	6	13	2	15	347	65	412	1	21	48	144	40	24	262	
49	Glenwood Springs	Henry H. Baker	1	...	11	66	...	1	...	...	56	10	66	1	8	38	18	12	...	84	
50	Carbondale	John R. Edwards	8	4	...	365	13	24	6	5	367	24	391	1	25	92	60	20	...	197	
51	Golden	A. P. Gaines	31	22	161	1058	40	73	7	43	926	195	1121	1	41	45	255	100	109	24	
52	Grand Junction	R. Modelmog	3	...	6	71	...	...	...	8	59	6	65	2	12	14	24	11	24	574	
53	Grand Valley Cir.	Gile V. Wilson	3	12	25	244	11	10	2	26	192	45	237	1	22	18	77	50	50	85	
54	Hatchkiss	Ranold F. Platt	14	2	...	449	8	8	3	16	324	122	446	1	22	22	78	47	8	217	
55	Littleton	J. R. Abernethy	...	...	...	71	...	20	1	...	75	16	91	1	9	...	38	8	...	264	
56	Mancos	J. R. Abernethy	...	7	...	46	7	1	...	...	51	3	54	1	3	11	4	17	15	63	
57	Marvel	Walter Frey	12	14	50	66	19	33	...	2	80	36	116	1	14	33	74	61	13	82	
58	Meeker	Claude Kinsley	3	12	73	541	14	13	6	14	370	178	548	1	23	15	118	69	47	202	
59	Montrose	Fred C. Sager	1	...	3	86	...	1	...	37	41	9	50	1	7	...	40	27	10	282	
60	Norwood	Paul R. Morris	3	15	24	116	5	...	2	...	90	29	119	1	5	17	32	9	17	84	
61	Olathe	Paul Hablison	14	18	56	191	12	7	7	7	185	11	196	1	14	18	40	40	20	82	
62	Pallade	H. H. Hughes	6	14	15	169	17	1	2	10	129	46	175	1	14	15	78	25	16	144	
63	Pagosa Springs	Willis C. Phelps	13	5	51	284	2	14	2	12	205	81	286	1	19	20	95	51	45	148	
64	Panola	Glen R. Barber	3	...	3	49	6	3	...	10	45	3	48	1	9	2	30	21	7	242	
65	Parker	Norman Jensen	2	5	31	101	6	11	5	2	103	8	111	1	16	22	55	53	18	84	
66	Rifle	Carl Gray	3	18	8	75	15	8	1	36	57	4	61	2	7	6	41	6	18	172	
67	Ridgway	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	81	
			769	585	1965	23326	907	1649	207	1524	20935	3216	24151	27	68	1389	1733	6442	3192	3702	16891

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		21	22	23	24	25	26	27	28	29	30	31	32	33	34	35	36	37	38	39	40															
1	Arvada	169	80	20	40	70	69	19	Yes	...	No	...	60	661	2	130	643	30	1	60000	10000	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
2	Aspen	58	...	6	...	...	...	...	Yes	...	...	...	36	180	...	...	...	...	...	...	25000	2500	300	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...		
3	Basalt	25	...	...	...	...	...	...	Yes	...	...	...	...	20	...	...	...	...	...	...	2500	2000	700	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...		
4	Castle Rock	70	...	15	20	...	...	...	No	...	...	...	83	309	1	46	149	...	...	...	30000	4500	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...		
5	Cedaredge	74	29	9	14	57	...	1	No	...	...	...	106	344	1	46	618	...	...	...	35000	5000	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...		
6	Austin	38	...	...	...	20	...	...	Yes	...	...	...	40	156	1	26	208	...	...	...	2700	2000	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...		
7	Clifton	95	12	25	20	...	...	3	Yes	...	...	...	10	200	2	50	670	25	1	10000	2000	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...		
8	Mesa	20	10	5	5	...	...	...	No	...	...	...	35	100	1	20	150	...	...	...	3000	2000	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...		
9	Cortez	65	10	15	...	60	...	2	Yes	...	...	...	59	288	2	27	1180	39	1	18800	7800	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...		
10	Crawford	62	...	14	8	45	...	...	Yes	...	...	...	110	207	2	50	398	10	1	7200	3000	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...		
11	Delta	117	...	10	20	87	...	5	No	...	...	...	108	542	1	140	615	...	...	...	75000	6000	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...		
12	Denver	82	15	12	18	...	...	...	Yes	3	...	...	75	349	1	76	353	...	...	...	27000	2500	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...		
13	Asbury	65	...	18	...	...	...	...	Yes	...	...	...	...	175	1	30	22	...	...	...	13000	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...		
14	Bethany	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Yes	...	...	...	26	303	2	35	706	12	1	13500	5000	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...		
15	Berkeley	104	10	25	15	59	...	4	Yes	...	...	...	...	...	2	...	...	...	...	...	5000	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...		
16	Cameron	240	...	34	25	...	...	30	No	14	...	...	75	1417	2	108	1387	19	1	50000	5000	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...		
17	Christ	180	...	15	75	...	...	14	Yes	15	...	...	317	1265	2	215	1075	47	1	80000	4000	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...		
18	Edgewater	130	15	15	...	130	...	6	No	...	...	...	75	275	1	55	500	...	...	...	20000	500	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...		
19	Emmanuel	135	11	30	...	...	...	7	Yes	...	...	...	...	540	1	88	500	...	...	...	55000	7500	25000	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...		
20	Englewood	327	...	17	100	161	...	17	Yes	...	...	...	94	703	2	132	1080	50	1	40000	6500	1000	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...		
21	Epworth	51	...	14	...	...	...	9	Yes	...	...	...	...	245	...	36	...	...	...	...	25000	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...		
22	Grace	90	...	15	10	...	...	10	Yes	6	...	...	123	350	2	19	294	17	1	100000	7000	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...		
23	Grant Ave.	330	...	35	25	...	...	7	Yes	10	...	...	394	1330	1	311	1540	...	...	...	150000	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
24	Highlands	360	...	68	18	130	...	22	Yes	5	...	...	...	900	2	130	2544	15	1	30000	4000	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
25	Jefferson Ave.	78	...	...	...	40	...	...	Yes	6	...	...	53	302	1	32	995	...	...	...	8500	9500	750	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...		

26	John Collins	114	10	20	40	52	15	105	602	1	58	595	1	6000	10000	21000																					
27	Lakewood	210	10	20	40	52	11	Yes	62	610	131	1392	1	25000																							
28	Merritt	59	17	23	7	7	18	Yes	1	73	325	2	17	559	15	7000																					
29	Montclair	89	12	14	75	26	26	Yes	12	245	46	1180	1	1100																							
30	Parkhill	360	50	60	40	75	26	Yes	10	2100	2	350	1313	40	225610																						
31	Simpson	110	35	13	52	12	1	Yes		121	1	30	725	1	30000	10000																					
32	Spanish Church	76	6	20	55	25	7	Yes	No	724	2	50	229	16	35000	4000																					
33	St. Paul's	125	20	95	25	31	31	Yes	25	6071	4	450	1346	122	50000	16000																					
34	Trinity	443	86	108	52	78	22	Yes	5	1040	2	85	941	30	50000	7000																					
35	University Park	315	30	30																																	
36	Warren	116	20	25	124	34	1	Yes	14	137	2	100	170	35	75000	7500																					
37	Washington Park	560	45	62	35	124	34	Yes	384	1740	2	350	1369	20	60000	6000																					
38	Wesley	145	8	4	2	70	7	Yes	100	775	1	20	390		8000	1500																					
39	Wheat Ridge	219	24	22	120	11	11	No	27	186	731	1	91		30000	6000																					
40	Dolores	45	35	30	30	19	19	Yes	80	221	1	16	131		10000	3500																					
41	Lewis	35		20				No	75	221	1	40	120		5000																						
42	De Beque	50	18	17	35	27	1	No	69	284	1	31	670		1500	2000																					
43	Dove Creek	26													6634																						
44	Fairview	126		28			4	Yes		416	2	39	1307	27	33000	7500																					
45	Durango	69	22	26	21	65	18	Yes	10	118	1	36	626		15000	3000																					
46	Eagle	28	28	27	27	35	3	Yes	27	76	1	24	387		3000																						
47	Gypsum	120	18	18	35	35	3	Yes	9	113	428	1	90	567	25000	4500																					
48	Fruita	156	14	18	40	78	2	Yes		147	1167	1	56	1441	11000	3000																					
49	Glenwood Springs	50	44					No	12	296	1	20			3500	700																					
50	Carbondale	160							115	480	1	80	838		17000	7000																					
51	Golden	297	16	22	47	49	11	Yes	5	120	899	2	205	1598	105000	8000																					
52	Grand Junction	43	21	21			27	Yes		59	227	1	30	250	5000	3000																					
53	Grand Valley Circuit	106	15	25	15	100	9	Yes		156	578	1	62	380	21000	3500																					
54	Hotchkiss	178		20	82	82	2	Yes	190	973	1	68	846	1	25000	6100																					
55	Littleton	26		2					25	137	1	20	464	1	4000	3500																					
56	Mancos	20					7	Yes	100	222	1	10	134	3	3000	1800																					
57	Marvel	57	11	27	54	54	10	Yes	100	394	2	37	1302	15	9000	4000																					
58	Meeker	170	2	10			10	Yes	110	527	1	110	1196	1	60000	6000																					
59	Montrose	42	12	6	40			No	75	226	1	25	419	1	5000	2500																					
60	Norwood	31		7			2		10	79	1	39	259	1	3000	4000																					
61	Olathe	65	15	12	10	50	7	Yes	10	170	2	45	942	30	21000	8000																					
62	Palisade	47	17	14	30	30	9	No		202	1	81	417	1	20000	10000																					
63	Pagosa Springs	103	18	16	44	60	39	Yes	39	466	2	41	383	32	10000	4000																					
64	Paonia	36	8	10	37	37	4	No	5	131	1	13	6	1	4000	2000																					
65	Parker	95	18	24	25	50	3	Yes	97	420	1	45	551	1	20000	4000																					
66	Rifle	40	20	20	2	2	5	Yes	66	178	1	27	344		6000	1500																					
67	Ridgway																																				
I																	8121	642	1203	1016	2514	33	493	46	16	208	5465	37069	86	4896	41496	670	69	2457044	263600	116812	36275

26	Rugo	William Pepper	2	9	12	141	12	17	2	4	154	10	164		1	12	22	69	23	20	15	161
27	Bovero	William Pepper				15					15		15		1	5	5	10	5	5	30	
28	Hygiene	Harry Huntington	1	3	6	70	3	7		9	20	9	71		1	9	3	24	25	23	84	
29	Jamestown	Bertrim Arison				24					4	4	24		1	5	2	21	6	6	40	
30	Idaho Springs	John E. Skinner	1	2	17	93			1	27	53	18	71		1	8	8	44	32	7	99	
31	Central City	John E. Skinner	1	5		62					21	41	62		1	2	5	50	14	15	7	
32	Johnstown	William Willcox	4	2	13	227	1	6	2	3	183	46	239		1	11	14	50	14	15	118	
33	Julesburg	Allen H. Talla	16	2	98	461	11	13	5	38	369	73	442		1	32	52	155	58	41	356	
34	Keenesburg	Marshall R. Hinds	8	4	15	143	4	11	1	4	144	9	153		1	16	12	58	25	29	140	
35	Kersey	L. W. Howard	1	4		44	3	4			51		51		1							
36	Kit Carson	Raymond Brown	4		27	127	1	5	1		120	12	132		1	10	10	60	16	20	116	
37	Kremmling	John Barnes	2			109	4	1	2		100	12	112		1	8	33	19	18	8	86	
38	Leadville	Don Haarup	3			91		2		60	33		33		1	9	17	48	3	6	83	
39	Breckenridge	Don Haarup	1			14		10		10	14		14		1	7	3	20	12	4	46	
40	Lafayette	Kenneth D. Moore	1	2	16	165	4	1		9	104	57	161		1	12	16	60	28	12	128	
41	Louisville	Kenneth D. Moore	8	1	16	112	3	10	1	3	95	26	121		1	6	20	40	10		76	
42	Vernon	A. D. Wilson	3	6	3	71	2	16	1	14	56	18	74		1	8	25	27	18	24	102	
43	Laird	Earl Morris Jr.	3	3	10	81	5		1	17	60	8	68		1	11		40	40	34	125	
44	Limon	Tom Franks	6	7	17	242	12	13	1	4	213	49	262		2	10	25	47	35	103	235	
45	Longmont	G. S. Upton	11	16	116	934	27	60	12	52	850	107	957		1	40	41	133	91	97	420	
46	Loveland	H. C. Kephart	29	18	76	937	27	42	7	4	925	70	995		1	49	98	201	77	197	662	
47	Lyons	J. D. Keller	6	4		120	6	16	2	3	106	31	137		1	10	11	46	59	14	140	
48	Grace	J. D. Keller				65				10	55		55		1	5		15	5	18	43	
49	Morino	Wilbur Benham	1		24	162			1	2	105	54	159		1	10	10	50	20	20	110	
50	Atwood	Wilbur Benham			3	67				2	36	28	64		1	8	7	30	7	12	64	
51	Oak Creek	Dean Kelley	2		6	86			1	21	49	15	64		1	3	15	30	20		68	
52	Ovid	J. Hugh Cummins	3	26	27	175	33	16	1	6	174	43	217		1	14	10	75	35	30	174	
53	Paoli	H. D. Ragland	1	1	24	64	2	7		5	49	19	68		1	7	9	13	23	27	79	
54	Epworth	H. D. Ragland	3	12	30	90	14		3	3	76	25	101		1	9	7	36	18	61	131	
55	Pierce	C. B. Green	3			146		1		1	143	3	146		1	14	29	27	23	41	144	
56	Platteville	Thomas L. Kleen	12	9	51	250	11	2	3	3	178	79	257		1	19	25	85	55	42	30	
57	Rinn	Kenneth Rice	4		35	135	2	1		5	122	11	133		1	17	10	38	10	24	256	
58	Sedgwick	I. O. Tweedy	1		14	100	3		2	10	78	13	91		1	6	7	28	14	15	99	
59	Snyder	Jack Frick	13	1		65	12				71	6	77		1	8	19	40	55	20	142	
60	Antelope Sprgs.	Jack Frick	1			15					11	5	16		1	6		5	8	24	51	
61	Steamboat Sprgs.	Alfred Carlyon	13	8	12	310	20	16		10	301	35	336		1	17	33	128	40	20	238	
62	Sterling	Guy E. Konkel	21	10	96	922	29	48	8	23	912	56	968		1	36	28	120	89	120	419	
63	Walden	Walter E. Brunner	7			147					147		147		1	4		50	10	10	74	
64	Willard	Vernon K. Hanks	3	93		93	23	8	2	7	58	35	366		1	10		25	10	30	75	
65	Windsor	K. Orlando Lee	10	9		344					338	28	366		1	16	28	47	44	16	151	
66	Wray	P. Paul Freeman	7	11	62	376	7	31	3	5	310	96	406		1	18	15	75	57	58	12	
67	Yuma	P. Paul Freeman	6	5	28	260	11	6	3	4	185	85	270		1	20	10	73	22	68	8	
			488	356	1856	17843	625	884	156	1071	15805	2320	18125	13	66	975	1427	3889	2638	2599	413	11941

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	21	22	23																			
1 Akron	85	23	10	...	...	50	...	...	...	Yes	...	58	241	1	65	1465	25	1	80000	5000	...	...
2 Platte	23	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Yes	...	...	46	1	14	94	...	1	500	...	...	...
3 Arapahoe	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
4 Arnel	42	...	21	...	...	39	...	...	5	No	...	79	193	1	35	288	...	1	4250	1000	...	...
5 Boulder	455	...	130	...	...	...	...	...	15	Yes	...	605	1872	2	450	1371	20	1	94000	6000	35150	...
6 Brighton	71	...	12	...	...	31	...	...	...	Yes	...	100	319	2	82	975	11	1	20000	3500	...	...
7 Broomfield	43	...	32	...	...	30	...	...	8	Yes	...	84	209	1	58	3244	...	1	1000	...	...	...
8 Brush	125	12	20	...	...	40	...	...	21	Yes	...	154	584	2	94	861	16	1	20000	4000	...	...
9 Burlington	170	20	70	...	...	25	...	...	20	Yes	...	75	650	1	86	450	...	1	32000	6000	...	...
10 Cheyenne Wells	82	...	20	...	...	59	...	...	8	Yes	...	110	337	1	74	1010	...	1	15500	2500	...	...
11 Eaton	88	20	30	...	...	42	...	...	...	Yes	...	104	63	1	50	274	...	1	30000	6000	...	...
12 Erie	42	28	26	...	...	...	...	...	6	Yes	...	100	258	1	38	526	...	1	6000	2000	...	...
13 Evans	35	...	8	...	...	...	...	...	...	Yes	...	45	128	1	20	200	...	1	3000	...	...	...
14 Keota	20	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	Yes	...	...	44	1	16	100	...	1	4000	2500	...	...
15 Fleming	77	...	10	...	...	51	...	...	...	Yes	...	65	287	1	77	273	...	1	25000	2000	...	...
16 New Haven	23	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	No	...	...	28	90	1	20	40	...	1	5000	...	...	...
17 Fort Collins	424	...	130	...	...	110	...	...	75	Yes	...	349	1397	2	396	2297	16	1	80000	9000	37730	...
18 Fort Lupton	140	...	15	...	...	20	...	...	6	Yes	...	188	549	2	120	513	36	1	20000	5000	...	...
19 Fort Morgan	156	48	22	...	...	36	...	...	29	Yes	...	100	674	2	173	1087	31	1	60000	5000	3000	...
20 Wiggins	49	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	Yes	...	...	...	1	38	350	...	1	3000	3000	...	...
21 Greeley	308	...	102	...	...	...	...	...	16	Yes	...	192	1147	2	302	1292	32	1	90000	8000	8478	...
22 Haxton	140	8	12	...	...	30	...	...	...	Yes	...	147	250	1	162	1225	...	1	15000	8000	4500	...
23 Hillrose	35	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	No	...	...	...	...	2	37	128	15	1	8000	4500	...	...
24 Holyoke	120	12	20	...	...	25	...	...	6	Yes	...	160	675	1	80	317	...	1	50000	6000	...	...
25 Hudson	25	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	No	...	...	45	210	1	34	445	...	1	4000	2000	...	...

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26	Hugo	80	10			5			45	205	1	72	764		10000	3500						
27	Bovero	15				1	Yes		57	179	1	28	344		10000	500						
28	Hygiene	45					Yes		10	208	1	15	95		1000	250						
29	Jamestown	32	26				Yes		5	193	1	38	343		10000	2500						
30	Idaho Springs	45	12	14	40																	
31	Central City	5				1	Yes					14	75		15000	2000		625				
32	Johnstown	65	8			5	Yes		20	485	1	49	500		8000	5000						
33	Julesburg	163	30	25			No	No	80	891	1	75	30		12000	5000						
34	Keenesburg	70	18	40	65		No	No	94	285	1	40	430		25000	6000						
35	Kersey										1	25	134		1200	600						
36	Kit Carson	68	14	9	16		Yes		48	244	1	47	777		5750	3500						
37	Kremmling	75	10	8			Yes		22	700	1				7500	1000						
38	Leadville	64	30				Yes		104	329	1	36	576		5000	1000						
39	Breckenridge	30	10				No	No	14	195	1	30	92		100	650						
40	Lafayette	75					Yes				2	20			14500	4000						
41	Louisville	30	15			1	No	No			1	21			6200							
42	Vernon	50	15			3	Yes		30	177	1	26	500		1500	1000						
43	Laird	52	15			4	No	No	64	184	1	26	45		5000							
44	Limon	93	22	46		6	Yes	No	200	307	1	82	816		17500	10000		156				
45	Longmont	229	19	39		14	No	No	180	666	2	159	2292		50000	10000						
46	Loveland	298	42	104		22	Yes	No	15	655	1	197	703		7000	7000		6000				
47	Lyons	68	21			2	Yes	No	70	260	2	36	241		5000	4000						
48	Grace	20					Yes		12	53	1	10			2500							
49	Morino	72		30					188	170	1	54	735		4000	3000						
50	Atwood	30		30					45	80	1	27	595		3000	1500						
51	Oak Creek	35		48			Yes		55	140					3000	5000						
52	Ovid	106	75	20	6	25	No	No	9	230	2	45	2940		4000	3500						
53	Paoli	34				2	No	No	67	194	1	22	773		5200	4000						
54	Epworth	54		24		7	No	No	14	100	1	35	363		5000							
55	Pierce	57		30			Yes		30	297	1	28	267		16000							
56	Platteville	110		55			Yes		125	515	1	60	527		25000	1000						
57	Rinn	56	8				Yes		57	211	2	32	608		12000	6000		1000				
58	Sedgwick	35	10				Yes		9	95	1	45	602		3500	2700						
59	Snyder	90	30				Yes		100	450	1	35	640		7000	6000						
60	Antelope Springs	40		56		24	Yes		95	300	1	20	100		5000							
61	Steamboat Springs	102	20	60		14	Yes		142	625	1	67	499		9000	3000						
62	Sterling	220	10	25	26	19	Yes		26	991	2	220	2434		50000	4000						
63	Walden	30					Yes				1	50			2000	7000						
64	Willard	21									1	33			2500	1200						
65	Windsor	87	15	30	45	20	Yes		50	150	1	100	780		40000	6000						
66	Wray	126	10	28	30	3	Yes		132	427	2	122	555		18800	5500		6417				
67	Yuma	105		12	23		Yes		152	358	1	105	515		10000	3000		2000				
		5860	339	1171	516	1649	126	372	47	14	88	5495	22427	78	4667	40515	338	67	1107500	221400	117409	625

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List No.	CHARGE AND CHURCH	NAME OF PASTOR	Expenditures for Local Church					Other Ministerial Support					
			Operative Expense		Pastor and Assoc. Pastors		Total Cash Paid, Part I (Add 41-44, 46)	Dist. Supt. Fund		Epsc'l Fund		Conf. Claim. Fd.	
			Paid on Principal of Indebtedness	Paid on Buildings and Improvements	Paid Other Currents Exp. & Incidentals	Paid for Ch. Sch. Adm., Supplies, etc.		Pastor's Salary Estimated	Paid	Appropriated	Paid		Appropriated
41	42	43	44	45	46	47	48	49	50	51	52	53	
1	Alamosa	Clare J. Hayes	400	2191	685	3000	6276	192	192	61	415	415	
2	Mosca	Clare J. Hayes	150	180	600	600	930	27	27	8	42	42	
3	Beulah	W. C. Cornelison	180	30	600	600	810	7	7	2	115	115	
4	Blanca	Herbert Dow	412	230	196	1320	2158	53	53	17	115	115	
5	Bowen	T. Manwaring	500	50	100	900	2158	34	34	11	73	73	
6	Bristol	E. I. Selden	500	40	110	900	3550	34	34	11	73	73	
7	Hartman	E. I. Selden	2500	40	40	300	1890	236	236	75	509	509	
8	Granada	E. I. Selden	1500	50	300	3300	11430	43	43	13	93	93	
9	Canon City	Benj. Eitelgeorge	3500	3700	930	1065	1557	21	21	7	46	46	
10	Calhan	Kenneth E. Metcalf	100	242	150	535	640	98	98	31	212	212	
11	Yoder	Kenneth E. Metcalf	15000	25	75	2200	17967	25	25	8	55	55	
12	Center	R. W. Drummond	101	464	303	1600	1923	59	59	19	128	128	
13	Saguache	R. W. Drummond	4800	12489	6000	6000	23289	871	871	275	1880	1881	
14	Cheraw	J. T. Bainbridge	386	1000	191	1550	3127	90	90	29	195	195	
15	Colorado Springs:	Geo. E. Fort	2500	720	380	2500	6100	135	135	41	285	285	
16	First Church	H. C. Alley	300	2395	150	2400	5245	113	113	35	237	237	
17	St. Paul's	Kenneth Smith	80	148	54	200	296	4	4	1	8	8	
18	Trinity	Kenneth Smith	526	171	1600	1194	1891	50	50	16	109	109	
19	Wesley	Kenneth Smith	422	117	1800	1800	2339	77	77	24	163	163	
20	Leader	Robt. Dibble	120	60	400	400	580	21	21	7	48	48	
21	Cripple Creek	J. R. Jones	152	150	1950	1950	2252	81	81	25	174	174	
22	Del Norte	J. R. Jones	80	148	54	200	296	4	4	1	8	8	
23	Eads	Robt. Dibble	526	171	1600	1194	1891	50	50	16	109	109	
24	Haswell	J. R. Jones	422	117	1800	1800	2339	77	77	24	163	163	
25	Florence	F. A. Napier	120	60	400	400	580	21	21	7	48	48	
		F. A. Napier	152	150	1950	1950	2252	81	81	25	174	174	

26	Fountain	Arthur Treman	446	166	137	920	860	1609	36	36	11	11	78	78
27	Fowler	J. Paul Morgan	237	1377	392	2300	2300	4306	103	103	32	32	221	221
28	Gardner	L. D. Barnett	410	168	22	840	840	1440	25	25	8	8	55	55
29	Holly	E. Tiftworth	1636	536	183	2400	2400	3119	78	78	25	25	169	169
30	La Junta	L. H. Sweetland	1636	2366	706	3300	3300	8008	236	236	75	75	510	510
31	Lamar	Graden Wilson	1066	2264	1084	3000	3125	7539	160	160	50	50	345	345
32	Las Animas	M. B. Beattie	800	600	396	2750	2750	4546	113	113	32	32	244	244
33	La Veta	C. H. Hoffield	178	178	58	800	800	1036	19	19	6	6	41	41
34	Manzanola	J. R. Bleivins	787	406	191	2100	2100	3484	93	93	29	29	200	200
35	Mesita	Willard Dynes	56	93	30	57	57	236	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
36	Monte Vista	H. A. Christchett	2532	2000	296	2700	2700	7528	167	167	53	53	359	359
37	Olney Springs	Frank Drew	22	136	184	1600	1600	1942	60	60	19	19	129	129
38	Ordway	H. M. Merkel	1000	325	161	2000	2000	3486	92	92	29	29	199	199
39	Sugar City	H. M. Merkel	.....	150	75	600	600	825	22	22	7	7	48	48
40	Pueblo	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
41	Bethel	Rowland Hill	3987	1330	772	2700	2700	8789	132	132	42	42	284	284
42	First Church	W. E. Bell	300	2000	200	4500	4500	7000	273	273	86	86	590	590
43	Goodwill Industry	A. W. Hall	20	90	23	2400	2400	133	8	8	42	42	288	288
44	Northern Ave.	D. J. Grooters	86	1183	305	2400	2400	3974	133	133	42	42	288	288
45	St. Paul's	T. B. McDivitt	2607	7075	986	3600	3600	14268	312	312	99	99	674	674
46	Trinity	B. B. Byus	137	1107	324	2700	2700	5208	114	114	36	36	246	246
47	Rocky Ford	F. A. McDaniel	10080	2063	927	3000	3000	16070	183	183	58	58	396	396
48	Rye	J. W. Burnett	.....	170	105	1300	1300	1575	47	47	15	15	102	102
49	Salida	Cecil Simpson	171	1194	261	2400	2400	4026	138	138	44	44	298	298
50	Springfield	L. W. Edgett	611	1566	246	1800	1800	4223	87	87	28	28	189	189
51	Pritchett	L. W. Edgett	.....	135	135	1200	1200	400	17	17	5	5	36	36
52	Wash	L. W. Edgett	1100	265	126	540	540	1470	34	34	11	11	74	74
53	Two Buttes	L. W. Edgett	700	277	148	1800	1800	2031	19	19	6	6	41	41
54	Swink	J. W. Milsap	6500	227	148	1500	1500	2925	20	20	6	6	44	44
55	Towner	Keith Bruning	6500	127	148	1500	1500	8275	34	34	11	11	74	74
56	Sheridan Lake	Keith Bruning	.....	1607	334	2700	2700	5641	153	153	48	48	330	330
57	Trinidad	A. E. Plummer	1000	150	.....	500	500	650	15	15	5	5	33	33
58	Hoehne	A. E. Plummer	366	171	92	775	775	1404	39	39	12	12	84	84
59	Vineland	A. W. Lenz	241	186	243	1179	975	1645	50	40	16	13	107	86
60	Avondale	A. W. Lenz	.....	1098	159	2600	2600	9521	110	110	35	35	236	236
61	Walsenburg	H. R. Bauer	5664	83	82	1000	936	1124	31	32	10	10	66	67
62	Westcliffe	W. L. Reid	23	653	210	2000	2100	5743	88	88	28	28	191	191
63	Wiley	R. E. Scarffe	2780	347	160	1200	1200	10265	38	38	12	12	82	82
64	McClave	R. E. Scarffe	8558	.....	.....	75	75	75	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
65	West Four Miles	James Fletcher												
.....			137	86704	59037	14195	101956	102223	5541	5541	1726	1746	11794	11911

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CHARGE AND CHURCH	BENEVOLENCES																				Grand Total, Parts I and II (Add 47 and 77)	
	World Service and Conf. Benev.			Other Conference Benev.																		
	Apportioned	Accepted	Paid	Special Gifts to World Service	Special Gifts to Annual Conf. Benevolences	Methodist Student Day	Church School Rally Day	Methodist Youth Fund	Race Relations Sunday	W.S.C.S. Cash Sent to Dist. & Conf. Treasurers	Gifts through Wesleyan Service Guild	Sustentation				Lay Travel	Annual Conference Investments	Institutes	United Campaign	Crusade		Other Benevolences
												Special Gifts to World Service	Special Gifts to Annual Conf. Benevolences	Methodist Student Day	Church School Rally Day								Methodist Youth Fund	Race Relations Sunday	W.S.C.S. Cash Sent to Dist. & Conf. Treasurers	Gifts through Wesleyan Service Guild	Annual Conference Investments	Institutes	United Campaign	Crusade	Other Benevolences
List No.	54	55	56	57	58	59	60	61	62	63	64	65	66	67	68	69	72	73	74	75	77	78
1 Alamosa.....	600	600	600	118	.....	5	20	19	.....	306	20	.....	20	.....	.....	200	.....	.....	24	1800	8076	
2 Mosca.....	44	44	48	.....	.....	.....	4	.....	.....	10	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	200	.....	.....	.....	339	1269	
3 Beulah.....	.....	.....	40	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	65	875	
4 Blanca.....	.....	.....	25	10	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	6	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	41	316	
5 Bowen.....	161	161	161	6	.....	5	.....	.....	.....	41	20	.....	6	.....	.....	1055	.....	.....	4	1483	3641	
6 Bristol.....	102	102	97	.....	.....	.....	6	.....	.....	55	46	.....	5	.....	.....	196	.....	.....	3	526	2076	
7 Hartman.....	102	102	102	.....	.....	.....	12	.....	.....	52	24	.....	5	.....	.....	85	.....	.....	3	3951	3951	
8 Granada.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	401	1890	
9 Canon City.....	1500	1500	1900	172	.....	.....	32	40	.....	382	14	.....	24	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	19	3403	14833	
10 Calhan.....	100	100	100	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	252	1809	
11 Yoder.....	65	65	65	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	2	141	781	
12 Center.....	297	297	300	117	.....	10	15	.....	.....	50	.....	.....	.....	60	.....	.....	.....	8	.....	901	18868	
13 Saguache.....	.....	.....	.....	5	.....	.....	4	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	463	.....	
14 Cheraw.....	179	300	350	81	.....	6	6	.....	.....	69	49	.....	6	.....	.....	1052	.....	51	5	1881	3804	
15 Colorado Springs:	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	
16 First Church.....	3000	3000	3000	1227	.....	39	.....	.....	.....	2568	48	.....	83	100	.....	8584	.....	10	69	18755	42044	
17 St. Paul's.....	274	274	210	25		13				115			10			236			7	5	935	4062
18 Trinity.....	600	600	600	103	.....	25	20	5	20	640	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1600	.....	54	.....	3528	9628	
19 Wesley.....	332	250	250	74	.....	12	12	.....	12	156	8	.....	12	.....	.....	531	.....	9	5	1454	6699	
20 Leader.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	
21 Cripple Creek.....	13	.....	19	3	.....	.....	6	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	55	.....	.....	4	96	674	
22 Del Norte.....	153	170	170	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	10	53	.....	.....	6	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	424	2315	
23 Eads.....	244	.....	305	130	.....	11	8	.....	.....	95	.....	.....	8	22	.....	95	.....	10	6	1	955	
24 Haswell.....	53	.....	63	12	.....	.....	4	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	3	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	2	162	742	
25 Florence.....	244	244	300	16	.....	12	.....	.....	.....	45	.....	9	9	.....	.....	.....	.....	6	6	677	2929	

26	Fountain	110	40	5	6	4	2	5	18	3	222	1831									
27	Fowler	311	415	17	4	256	81	12	800	2	1991	6297									
28	Gardner	76	76	4	4	12	12	4	2	8	203	1643									
29	Holly	237	258	5	7	1649	1649	9	19	6	2265	5384									
30	La Junta	715	1200	11	23	707	49	24	38	3575	15201	7193									
31	Lamar	900	500	30	30	453	453	16	750	13	2681	10220									
32	Las Animas	445	444	15	14	155	155	3	1480	8	2628	7174									
33	La Veta	58	61	6	2	225	225	3	393	2	1429	393									
34	Manzanola	280	225	24	26	399	399	10	23	2	1285	4769									
35	Mesita											236									
36	Monte Vista	504	500	34	34	328	328	17	2401	15	3909	11433									
37	Olney Springs	278	343	14	9	46	13	6	187	5	831	2773									
38	Ordway	67	50	8	24	427	427	2	339		829	4315									
39	Sugar City		87	7	14						339	1164									
40	Pueblo																				
41	Bethel	900	914	104	20	236	10	14	26	30	2666	11455									
42	First Church	700	700	204	39	376	39	35	2200	10	4663	11663									
43	Goodwill Industry		85	10		75			25		225	358									
44	Northern Ave.	404	404	59	5	1087	55	14	2028	10	2442	6416									
45	St. Paul's	945	1000	247	32	29	18	29	253	25	5554	19822									
46	Trinity	265	265	10	10	136	60	12	538	9	1445	6653									
47	Rocky Ford	556	850	404	32	14	494	18	2545	31	5116	21185									
48	Rye	418	143	23	8			5	569	4	916	2491									
49	Salida	264	500	504	10	834	30	15	1298	11	2167	6193									
50	Springfield	50	28	35	95			9		7	2077	6300									
51	Pritchett	50	50					3	120	1	232	6302									
52	Walsh	104	104	157	7	696		5	2494	3	1024	2494									
53	Two Buttes	47	47	125	7	30		3	400	2	400	2431									
54	Swink	61	70	5	5	265		2	265	3	444	3369									
55	Townier	104	104	5	5	329		5	329	3	565	8840									
56	Sheridan Lake																				
57	Trinidad	500	725	86	10	177	250	16	45	12	3750	9391									
58	Hoehne	51	51		5	75		3	183	1	833	833									
59	Vineland	117	125	5	1	191		5	595	3	1999	1999									
60	Avondale	150	125	6	10	649		5	1056	3	2701	2701									
61	Walsenburg	332	332	32	9	157		12	1508	9	1508	11029									
62	Westcliffe	104	138		12	230		4	499	3	1623	1623									
63	Wiley	268	200	5	8	600		10	1303	7	7046	7046									
64	McClave	115	130	7	5	400		5	807	3	11072	11072									
65	West Four Miles					12			12		12	87									
		17677	17095	21212	3800	288	696	127	10237	915	46	506	492	131	43767	7	723	403	30	102700	364996

26	John Collins	E. B. Lewis	1150	1060	486	2000	2000	4696	117	117	37	37	252	252	
27	Lakewood	H. P. Chidress	79	378	280	3000	3000	3737	103	103	32	32	222	222	
28	Merritt	W. R. Vette	28	285	290	1100	1100	1703	42	42	13	13	90	90	
29	Montclair	C. V. Graham	14200	833	165	1620	1620	2618	39	39	12	12	84	84	
30	Parkhill	A. K. Williams	17514	646	5000	5000	5000	37360	507	507	160	160	1094	1094	
31	Simpson	H. A. Hanks	1029	200	2010	2010	2010	3239	61	61	19	19	131	131	
32	Spanish Church	David Cisneros	457	121	1320	1320	1320	1898	30	30	12	12	64	64	
33	St. Paul's	C. O. Thibodeau	400	265	3120	3120	3120	3785	307	307	96	96	663	663	
34	Trinity	S. W. Marble	6000	17153	1947	7500	13300	38400	1057	1057	334	334	2282	2282	
35	University Park	Alexander Bryans	750	5000	665	3600	3600	10015	245	245	77	77	528	528	
36	Warren	Lowell B. Swan	1000	3544	975	4390	4390	9909	212	212	67	67	457	457	
37	Washington Park	S. L. Maxwell	16150	1550	4550	4550	4550	22250	504	504	159	159	1088	1088	
38	Wesley	L. W. Coffman	330	732	250	2950	2950	4262	84	84	26	26	180	180	
39	Wheatridge	H. I. Woolard	5116	1710	580	2600	2600	10006	146	146	46	46	316	316	
40	Dolores	Geo. A. Turner	2700	159	100	1600	1600	4559	46	46	14	14	98	98	
41	Lewis	Geo. A. Turner	128	90	700	700	700	918	22	22	7	7	47	47	
42	DeBeque	Rebecca Muddlemog	70	140	400	420	420	630	14	14	4	4	30	30	
43	Dove Creek	J. Earl Lake	333	147	1903	1903	1903	7859	23	23	7	7	49	49	
44	Fairview	J. Earl Lake	5476	24	24	24	24	24	2	2	1	1	4	4	
45	Durango	Homer E. Root	300	20000	1237	262	2600	2600	24399	125	125	39	39	270	270
46	Eagle	Paul Shields	150	685	301	2000	2000	3136	95	95	30	30	205	205	
47	Gypsum	Paul Shields	165	189	54	470	470	878	17	17	6	6	38	38	
48	Fruita	J. H. Wubben	354	797	274	2400	2400	3825	107	107	34	34	232	232	
49	Glenwood Springs	Henry H. Baker	1067	593	460	2600	2600	4720	120	120	38	38	258	258	
50	Carbondale	Henry H. Baker	171	296	800	800	800	1267	33	33	10	10	71	71	
51	Golden	John R. Edwards	732	1503	751	2200	2200	5186	105	105	33	33	227	227	
52	Grand Junction	A. P. Gaines	400	3110	510	3800	3800	7820	238	238	75	75	514	514	
53	Grand Valley Circuit	R. Modelmog	98	79	163	800	800	1140	29	29	9	9	62	62	
54	Hotchkiss	Gile V. Wilson	184	664	280	2000	2000	3128	87	87	21	21	188	188	
55	Littleton	Ranold F. Platt	1185	1659	3000	3000	3000	5844	146	146	46	46	315	315	
56	Mancos	J. R. Abernethy	155	112	1000	1000	1000	1267	25	25	8	8	53	53	
57	Marvel	J. R. Abernethy	61	114	500	610	610	785	19	19	6	6	42	42	
58	Meeker	Walter Frey	250	955	242	1500	1221	3018	67	67	21	21	144	144	
59	Montrose	Claude Kinsley	647	417	3000	3000	3000	4064	192	192	61	61	414	414	
60	Norwood	Fred C. Sager	450	107	98	1800	1550	2205	29	29	9	9	62	62	
61	Olathe	Paul R. Morris	672	163	71	1400	1450	3279	35	35	11	11	78	78	
62	Palisade	Paul Hablston	923	1400	100	2500	2500	5000	85	85	27	27	182	182	
63	Pagosa Springs	H. H. Hughes	154	253	155	1800	1800	2462	51	51	16	16	110	110	
64	Panora	Willis C. Phelps	439	740	261	2400	2400	3840	111	111	35	35	239	239	
65	Parker	Glen R. Barber	113	327	131	1000	1000	1571	19	19	6	6	41	41	
66	Rifle	Norman Jensen	476	488	323	2500	2500	3787	93	93	29	29	200	200	
67	Ridgway	Carl Gray	500	239	90	1600	1533	2362	42	42	13	13	90	90	
			1372	134603	118102	21847	134608	144652	420576	7541	7941	2371	2498	16255	16974

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			Paid on Principal of Indebtedness	Paid on Buildings and Improvements	Paid Other Currents Exp. & Incidentals	Paid for Ch. Sch. Adm., Supplies, etc.	Pastor's Salary Estimated	Paid	(Add 41-44, 46)					Apportioned		Paid	Apportioned	
									41	42	43	44	45	46	47		48	49	50	51	52	53
1	Akron	Frank Dawson		970	834	208	1800	1800	3812	84	84	27	27	182	182			
2	Platner	Frank Dawson		---	46	37	300	450	533	5	5	1	1	10	10			
3	Arapahoe	Mrs. Lorraine Benton					540	472	472	15	15	5	5	33	33			
4	Armel	T. J. Tramel		275	113	131	1600	1600	2119	38	38	12	12	62	62			
5	Boulder	Warren S. Bainbridge		773	3212	1267	5700	5700	10952	304	304	117	117	799	799			
6	Brighton	Claude E. Copley		400	647	219	3000	3000	4266	105	105	33	33	227	227			
7	Broomfield	James Wood		6000	127	125	1400	1400	7652	42	42	13	13	90	90			
8	Brush	W. R. Burnett		1250	1270	236	2800	2800	5556	112	112	35	35	241	241			
9	Burlington	H. C. Beatty		4800	983	700	3200	3500	9983	161	161	51	51	347	347			
10	Cheyenne Wells	Walter E. White		681	377		2000	2005	3063	92	92	28	28	193	193			
11	Eaton	John W. Bartrug		632	740	200	2400	2400	3972	74	74	23	23	160	160			
12	Erie	Earl E. Lewis				258	1500	1650	1908	55	55	17	17	118	118			
13	Evans	S. E. Parrott			228	77	425	425	730	17	17	5	5	36	36			
14	Keota	S. E. Parrott			125	44	150	300	469	5	5	2	2	11	11			
15	Fleming	Glenn Barney		187	327	287	1900	1900	2701	80	80	25	25	173	173			
16	New Haven	Glenn Barney		665	178	90	550	550	1483	22	22	7	7	49	49			
17	Fort Collins	Henry L. Weiss		567	7046	548	4400	4400	12561	362	362	114	114	782	782			
18	Fort Lupton	O. Franklin Archer		55	1035	336	2700	2700	4126	135	135	43	43	291	291			
19	Fort Morgan	L. Edwin Cooke		21080	2889	350	3000	3000	27319	203	203	62	62	427	427			
20	Wiggins	L. Edwin Cooke		300	145	92	500	500	1037	22	22	7	7	47	47			
21	Greeley	Roy H. McVicker		4052	7572	965	5875	5875	18464	359	359	113	113	774	774			
22	Haxtun	Paul K. Corley		168	1074	269	2700	2700	4211	134	134	42	42	289	289			
23	Hillrose	Dr. Herbert Stotts		15	219		1403	1403	1637	67	67	21	21	146	146			
24	Holyoke	Louis Haruf			1325	217	2700	2700	4242	150	150	47	47	323	323			
25	Hudson	Ralph Gibson			120	110	1000	1000	1230	34	34	10	10	71	71			

26	Hugo	William Pepper	350	153	1350	1853	59	19	128	128
27	Boyer	William Pepper	200	15	75	90	2	1	4	4
28	Hygiene	Harry Huntington	214	73	400	887	23	7	50	50
29	Jamestown	Bertrim Arnsion	28	148	400	252	11	7	25	16
30	Idaho Springs	John E. Skinner	32	125	1500	1034	59	37	19	13
31	Central City	John E. Skinner	127	400	400	527	11	4	25	25
32	Johnstown	William Wilcox	1825	145	2100	4500	89	28	191	191
33	Julesburg	Allen H. Talla	440	846	2650	5430	155	49	333	333
34	Keesburg	Marshall R. Hinds	532	245	1500	2854	67	21	145	145
35	Kersey	L. W. Howard	29	71	850	950	20	6	43	43
36	Kit Carson	Raymond Brown	864	352	1800	3212	60	19	129	129
37	Kremmling	John Barnes	2331	439	1800	4470	36	11	78	78
38	Leadville	Don Haarup	200	365	1000	1785	34	10	74	74
39	Brackenridge	Don Haarup	111	135	156	547	5	1	10	10
40	Lafayette	Kenneth D. Moore	8000	132	1000	9252	27	9	59	59
41	Louisville	Kenneth D. Moore	111	65	1000	1176	30	10	66	66
42	Vernon	A. D. Wilson	66	80	2000	3096	38	12	82	82
43	Laird	H. Earl Morris Jr.	242	175	1150	1567	46	14	96	96
44	Limon	Tom Franks	772	550	2700	4142	103	32	221	221
45	Howard	Tom Franks	15034	2299	3600	21419	201	64	434	434
46	Longmont	G. S. Upton	2185	486	3200	5986	204	64	439	439
47	Loveland	H. C. Kephart	7	330	1200	1105	1598	42	13	90
48	Lyons	J. D. Keller	40	48	600	558	20	6	42	42
49	Grace	Wilbur Benham	1200	173	1400	2927	61	19	131	131
50	Merino	Wilbur Benham	289	45	700	1098	29	9	62	62
51	Atwood	Dean Kelley	127	40	825	992	37	12	79	79
52	Oak Creek	J. Hugh Cummins	4106	162	1600	6209	77	24	166	166
53	Ovid	H. D. Ragland	360	900	862	862	30	10	66	66
54	Paoli	H. D. Ragland	300	50	1000	1000	27	8	57	57
55	Epworth	C. B. Green	277	227	1410	1914	39	12	84	84
56	Pierce	Thomas L. Kleen	400	250	1850	2500	79	25	170	170
57	Platteville	Kenneth Rice	800	396	1850	3200	79	25	170	170
58	Rinn	I. O. Tweedy	360	240	95	1200	1895	31	10	67
59	Sedgwick	Jack Frick	300	200	1000	1550	38	12	82	82
60	Snyder	Jack Frick	400	150	1000	1595	38	12	82	82
61	Antelope Springs	Jack Frick	44	998	2100	3406	118	12	72	72
62	Steamboat Springs	Alfred Carlyon	1861	3612	3000	9281	233	74	503	503
63	Sterling	Guy E. Konkel	350	60	2000	2410	87	50	189	189
64	Walden	Walter E. Brunner	205	205	1200	1405	34	11	74	74
65	Willard	Walter E. Brunner	378	844	2800	4122	134	42	289	289
66	Windsor	Vernon K. Hanks	2902	1496	2600	7287	114	36	246	246
67	Wray	K. Orlando Lee	962	991	2400	4656	131	41	118	118
68	Yuma	P. Paul Freeman	85468	53944	11413	270288	5435	1730	11662	11487

36	Hugo	180	180	182	5	6	31	11	6	31	225	5	708	2561
37	Bovero	5	5	5	4	9	122	5	1	100	2	535	1422	
38	Hygiene	80	80	80	31	31	5	22	8	340	7	839	5339	
39	Jamestown	179	179	179	7	26	200	30	10	1412	12	2940	8370	
40	Idaho Springs	35	35	40	13	8	29	8	10	50	5	492	3346	
41	Central City	268	135	135	17	8	29	8	10	405	9	806	4018	
42	Johnstown	468	468	602	4	20	20	20	16	3	3	180	4650	
43	Julesburg	204	125	125	8	50	50	50	5	1000	4	285	2070	
44	Keenesburg	204	125	125	4	11	11	11	2	23	2	155	9407	
45	Kersey	40	40	40	4	5	5	5	4	1000	19	1792	5934	
46	Kit Carson	181	157	157	7	7	20	20	60	16	16	2414	23833	
47	Kremmling	109	50	48	7	5	593	56	21	21	31	2626	8612	
48	Leadville	104	104	104	5	50	385	145	21	142	3	434	2032	
49	Breckenridge	14	14	14	4	60	60	5	5	107	753	107	753	
50	Lafayette	83	50	15	5	11	13	12	6	578	3505	578	3505	
51	Louisville	92	50	18	4	5	93	41	4	163	1261	163	1261	
52	Vernon	100	100	51	5	5	40	3	40	901	1893	901	1893	
53	Laird	138	138	138	8	5	34	5	3	1117	7326	1117	7326	
54	Limon	300	300	300	12	5	80	9	6	566	1428	566	1428	
55	Howard	184	184	188	19	15	82	4	2	514	1514	514	1514	
56	Longmont	649	842	900	7	35	198	5	9	1400	3314	1400	3314	
57	Loveland	530	846	1228	52	22	203	5	6	903	3403	903	3403	
58	Lyons	120	70	70	4	5	241	10	6	1015	4215	1015	4215	
59	Grace	60	50	12	10	8	25	5	20	701	2596	701	2596	
60	Merino	184	184	188	19	18	13	5	3	287	1837	287	1837	
61	Atwood	87	45	45	6	14	10	5	9	610	2205	610	2205	
62	Oak Creek	111	50	50	2	9	87	5	9	1829	5235	1829	5235	
63	Ovid	233	233	233	5	22	93	69	18	7336	16617	7336	16617	
64	Paoli	92	92	104	7	10	716	13	14	140	2550	140	2550	
65	Epworth	81	81	117	18	8	25	13	3	252	1657	252	1657	
66	Pierce	150	150	150	68	14	13	5	3	342	2205	610	2205	
67	Platteville	239	200	200	9	9	87	5	9	1829	5235	1829	5235	
68	Rinn	239	150	150	9	7	93	69	18	7336	16617	7336	16617	
69	Sedgwick	94	94	105	54	9	716	13	14	140	2550	140	2550	
70	Snyder	115	115	115	13	18	200	5	11	1696	5818	1696	5818	
71	Antelope Springs	115	250	224	15	37	45	36	10	1055	8342	1055	8342	
72	Steamboat Springs	705	1240	1740	245	23	161	12	12	2222	6878	2222	6878	
73	Sterling	115	115	99	13	18	200	5	11	1696	5818	1696	5818	
74	Walden	406	300	300	35	37	45	36	10	1055	8342	1055	8342	
75	Willard	400	400	400	32	17	161	12	12	2222	6878	2222	6878	
76	Windsor	400	400	400	32	17	161	12	12	2222	6878	2222	6878	
77	Wray	400	400	400	32	17	161	12	12	2222	6878	2222	6878	
78	Yuma	17420	21062	22288	2588	10	338	735	81	38389	96548	366836	96548	

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RECAPITULATION TABLE NO. 2

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DISTRICT	BENEVOLENCES																							Grand Total, Parts I and II (Add 47 and 77)
	World Serv. & Conf. Benev.			Other Conference Benevolences														Admin. Fund						
	Apporportioned	Accepted	Paid	Special Gifts to World Service	Special Gifts to Annual Conf. Benevolences	Methodist Student Day	Church School Rally Day	Methodist Youth Fund	Race Relations Sunday	W.S.C.S. Cash Sent to Dist. & Conf. Treasurers	Gifts through Wesleyan Service Guild	Sustentation	Loy Travel	Annual Conference Investments	Institutes	United Campaign	Crusade	Other Benevolences	General	Jurisdictional	Total Paid, Part II (Add 49, 51, 53, 56-76)			
1 Colorado Springs-Pueblo	54	55	56	57	58	59	60	61	62	63	64	65	66	67	68	69	72	73	74	75	77	78		
2 Denver-Grand Junction	17677	17095	21212	3800	1038	288	696	127	122	10237	915	461	5061	492	131	43767	723	403	301	102700	364996			
3 Greeley	22895	22337	27273	6593	1038	430	937	286	843	18100	210	105	799	431	3420	43232	89	514	606	40	1369891	557565		
4 Total	57922	60494	70773	12981	1048	1056	2368	494	1143	38075	2231	236	1779	1231	3551	125388	89	7094	1399	119	3362371	1289397		
5 Total Last Year	60880	64337	69385	22558	38	1101	2274	529	1036	35530	997	474	722	1693	3159	1840	322	7042	1314	417	209972	960681		
6 Increase			1388		1010		94		107	2545	1234		1057		392	123548		52			126265	328716		
7 Decrease	2888	3843		9577		45	35				238			462			233		85	298				

(f.) Other Treasurer's Reports**TREASURER'S REPORT PINE CREST ASSOCIATION, INC.****June 1, 1947, to June 1, 1948**

Balance June 1, 1947_____	\$4,126.73
Receipts Regular Fund:	
Askings from Churches_____	\$ 346.20
Rentals _____	2,802.71
Sale of Lots, etc. _____	398.72
Personal and MYF _____	31.00
Total Receipts Regular Fund_____	\$ 3,578.63
Total June 1, 1947, Balance and Receipts_____	\$ 7,705.36
Disbursements Regular Fund:	
Material _____	\$ 667.26
Labor _____	509.20
Equipment _____	183.15
Water to Palmer Lake (two years)_____	251.00
Liability Insurance to C. D. Hopkins_____	250.00
Donation Town of Palmer Lake on Bridge_____	300.00
Property Insurance to C. D. Hopkins_____	156.13
New Motor for Car_____	229.96
Car Insurance _____	72.00
Electricity _____	107.75
Board Expense, Phone, Freight, Printing, etc.____	336.15
Total Disbursements Regular Fund_____	\$ 3,062.60
BALANCE REGULAR FUND_____	\$ 4,642.76
RECEIPTS UNITED CAMPAIGN_____	\$13,536.38
DISBURSEMENTS UNITED CAMPAIGN:	
Building Material for New Buildings_____	\$3,234.10
Labor on Buildings_____	1,304.71
Car and Supervisory Expense_____	168.71
Total Disbursements United Campaign_____	\$ 4,707.52
BALANCE UNITED CAMPAIGN FUND_____	\$ 8,828.86
Add Balance of Regular Fund_____	\$ 4,642.76
TOTAL CASH BALANCE JUNE 1, 1948_____	\$13,471.62

W. R. BURNETT, Treasurer.

June, 1948

COLORADO CONFERENCE

SPANISH MISSION ACCOUNT

(Southern Colorado Spanish Speaking Parish)

Financial Report, June 15, 1947-June 14, 1948

Receipts

Balance on Hand 6-15-47-----	\$2,138.29
From Board of Missions and Church Extension-----	625.00
From Conference Treasurer-----	1,780.51
Reimbursement from Board of Missions and Church Extension-----	133.34

Expenditures

To Northern Mission-----	\$ 508.33
To So. Colo. Spanish Speaking Work-----	931.12
TOTAL RECEIPTS -----	\$4,677.14
TOTAL EXPENDITURES -----	\$1,439.45
BALANCE ON HAND-----	\$3,237.69
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I hereby certify that I have examined the books of the following Treasurers and have found them to be correct:

H. H. Baker—Board of Missions and Church Extension.

R. W. Drummond—Conference Claimants.

W. R. Burnett—Pine Crest Association.

Richard E. West—Board of Education.

Allan K. Williams—Wesley Foundation.

R. J. Wilson—Southern Colorado Spanish Speaking Mission.

Paul Habliston states that the books of the Grand Mesa Institute were audited by an auditor in Crawford, Colorado.

Auditing Committee,
James W. Barrett, Chairman

VIII. MEMOIRS**IN . . .
REMEMBRANCE**

We pay grateful tribute to the men and women who by their vision, faith and good works did establish and sustain the Church Militant until they were called to the Church Triumphant. Because of its power to inspire and bless, we keep our memory of them vivid. In their Gift to us we are better able to live and give. From their valiant example we take increased devotion to our continuing stewardship.

ROBERT ROBINSON ADAMS

Robert Robinson Adams was born in Philadelphia, September 17, 1871. He came to Colorado as a young man, graduating from Denver University and the Iliff School of Theology. He obtained his degree from the latter institution in 1898, and the same year received a master's degree from the University.

In 1900 Brother Adams was admitted to the Colorado Conference on trial. The churches he served included Gunnison, Berkeley, Merritt Memorial, Idaho Springs, Bethel (Pueblo), Golden, Fort Lupton, Del Norte, Holly, Sugar City, Fifth Avenue (Denver), Wheat Ridge, and Wiggins. He retired in 1928 after twenty-nine years of effective service.

On September 16, 1907, he was married to Celia Effie Holley. She passed away December 7, 1939.

During the years of his retirement Brother Adams maintained an active interest in the affairs of the church. He taught Sunday School class in Trinity Church until failing health necessitated his giving up this work. He passed away July 28, 1947.

WILLIAM ERNEST BLACKSTOCK**William Ernest Blackstock**

was born in Thornton, Ontario, Canada, in 1878. He was graduated from Toronto University and Garrett Biblical Institute, finishing his work at the latter institution in 1909.

For a time he served in the Northwest Iowa conference. In 1918 and 1919 he was treasurer of the Centenary Movement with offices in New York. After that he held pastorates in Kansas, Texas, and Colorado. Since 1935 he served as superintendent of the Utah Mission. While in Utah he served as chairman of the Salt Lake Ministerial Association for the period of a year, and as a trustee of Westminster College.

In 1907 he was married to Mabel Edith Entwistle. He is survived by Mrs. Blackstock, a daughter, Mrs. Alice Sherman of Washington, D. C., George B.

and D. G. Blackstock, both of Salt Lake City.

Across the years Brother Blackstock was deeply devoted to the work of the church, and served it faithfully in the various responsibilities to which he was assigned.

MRS. MYRTLE ROSS GRIM

Mrs. Myrtle Ross Grim, wife of William S. Grim, was born in Wabash, Indiana, on August 18, 1868. She attended De Pauw University where she met William S. Grim. They were married November 16, 1892, in Wabash, Indiana, the ceremony being performed by the father of the groom, Rev. W. H. Grim. Mrs. Grim joined the Methodist Church when a child and all her life she was an untiring worker in all the activities of the church. A pipe organist, she was unusually good at interpreting church music and was a wonderful help to her husband in his work in the ministry. Among the churches they served together in their ministry in the conference were Durango and Montrose, Colorado. They came to the latter church while the new church was in course

of construction and much of the finer finish in its interior was the work of his skilled hands.

After three years of severe suffering and confinement she passed away peacefully on February 19, 1948, at their home in Gladstone, Oregon.

GEORGE W. ELLIS



George W. Ellis was born in Wanda, Missouri, December 1, 1885. His early life was spent in that community. In 1906 he was married to Etta Cook, and to this union were born two daughters. Mrs. Ellis passed away in 1916.

His first pastorates were in Missouri and Kansas. Coming to Colorado, he served at Hoehne, La Veta, and Durango. Returning to Missouri, he served his home church at Wanda for five years. On October 18, 1919, he was united in marriage to Inez Ruth Hodge of Stella, Missouri. To that union was born a son, Joseph David.

Returning to the Colorado Conference, Brother Ellis served the churches at Westcliffe, Durango, Aztec, N. M., Leader-Edison, Mancos, Saguache, and Del Norte. In 1937 he had the privilege of preaching the sermon on the 100th anniversary of

his home church at Wanda.

He passed away in April, 1948. He is survived by his widow, two daughters, Mrs. Ruth Boggs of Grand Junction, Colorado, and Mrs. Marjorie Correll of Pacoima, California, one son, Lt. Joseph David Ellis of Hamilton Field, California, and a brother, D. L. Ellis of Stark City, Missouri.

Brother Ellis was a man of varied interests, a friendly personality, and a good minister of the church.

KATHARINE WILLIAMS AVERY

Katharine Williams Avery was born in Syracuse, New York, in 1865. She was educated in the Syracuse public schools and Syracuse University where she discontinued her scholastic work before receiving a degree. She taught in the Syracuse public schools until 1903 when she was married to Rev. George Porter Avery of Ledyard, N. Y. Together in the ministry they served the Methodist Churches at Auburn, N. Y., Rochester, Minn., and Ft. Collins, Colo. Forced to retire for health reasons, they continued to reside in Ft. Collins until 1916 when they removed to Long Beach, Calif., and later to Claremont, Calif., where Mr. Avery died in 1928. Mrs. Avery continued to make her home in Claremont until her death in June, 1947.

Although retired in 1904, both Mr. and Mrs. Avery remained active in Methodist affairs. They relinquished all claim to any retirement allowance in the Conference, adding also other gifts. At the time of her death they had added a total of \$9,568.00 to the permanent fund of the Colorado Conference. In the glow of this generous beneficence they continue to serve though voice and hands are still. Truly of them it may be said, "They rest from their labors and their works do follow them."

EDWINNA BRYAN COULTER

Edwinna Bryan, wife of Gary G. Coulter, was born in Iowa August 3rd, 1871, and passed away in Los Angeles, California, January 24th, 1948.

She was married to Rev. Gary G. Coulter at Iowa Falls, Iowa, on August

27th, 1896, continuing to serve with her husband in his ministry until his health failed causing their removal to Colorado and later to the warmer, drier climate of Arizona. Returning to Colorado, Brother Coulter battled courageously for health until the end came in 1913, since which time Mrs. Coulter has made her home in Los Angeles.

Four sons were born to their marriage, two of whom are living, both in Los Angeles. They are Theodore Bryan and Gary Edwin. One son, Joseph, died in 1897 and Harrison in 1903. Mrs. Coulter was a faithful worker at her husband's side during the years of his gradually failing health, carrying more than her share of the burdens of his ministry as well as the duties of her home. To the older members of the conference who knew her and her husband she remains in fragrant memory.

MRS. MARY LETITIA SPENCER

Mrs. Mary L. Spencer, widow of Dr. Claudius B. Spencer, died in Kansas City, October 23, 1947.

Mrs. Spencer was born in Fowlerville, New York, the daughter of a Presbyterian clergyman. She was graduated from the State Normal School in Geneseo, New York, and later taught for several years in that school.

She was married to Dr. Claudius B. Spencer at Lakeville, N. Y., in 1886. Together they served churches in Detroit and Oswosso before moving to Denver in 1900. While in Colorado they served Asbury Church and Christ Church in Denver. Dr. Spencer became editor of the *Central Christian Advocate*, which position he held for thirty-two years.

Mrs. Spencer's life in Kansas City, like that during the years of parish ministry, revealed a deep interest in religious and philanthropic work. She served as a Sunday School teacher, as chairman of the permanent fund of the Woman's Home Missionary Society, as a member of the Board of Directors of the Goodwill Industries, the Y. W. C. A., the Florence Crittendon Home, and the National College for Christian Workers. She gave of herself generously and graciously.

Surviving are three daughters—Miss Helen Spencer of Kansas City; Mrs. Arvid Frank of New York City; Mrs. Harry Roper of Antioch, California; a brother—Dr. S. K. Mitchell of New Haven, Conn.; and a sister, Mrs. Charles P. Gruppe, New York City. Burial was at Howell, Michigan.

CORRECTION

In the memoir of Dr. John J. Lace, published in the Conference Minutes of 1947, the statement was made that Dr. Lace received his ministerial training in Garrett Biblical Institute, but did not remain in school long enough to receive his degree. This was an error. He graduated and received his degree with the class of 1894. Due to an unavoidable interruption, the degree was conferred later and dated back to the date of graduation.

IX. WIDOWS OF DECEASED MEMBERS

Name (Mrs.)	Widow of	Address
Adams, J. H.	J. H.	Warrensburg, Mo.
Alien, Ella L.	Chas. B.	1124 Vine St., Denver 6.
Barker, Martha S.	O. E.	Box 362, Springer, N. M.
Behner, Anna E.	Albert T.	309½ So. Shuffleton Ct., Sigourney, Iowa.
Bennett, Anna E.	Wm. E.	Box 1455, Colorado Springs, Colorado.
Bennington, Frances	John M.	1111 Rosalie Ave., c/o Bell Home, Houston, Tex.
Bittner, Emma	E. F. A.	414 Haven St., Medford, Oregon.
Blackstock, Mabel E.	Wm. E.	General Delivery, Reno, Nevada.
Bowman, Ada	Orlando M.	Box 112, Springboro, Penn.
Brown, Anna A.	William	Sigma Chi, 1815 Las Lomas, Albuquerque, N.M.
Buchtel, Mary	Henry A.	Asilomar, Pacific Grove, Calif.
Cage, Fannie D.	Gustavus A.	2979 Yates St., Denver 12.
Carpenter, Violet	Archie M.	1037 Filmore St., San Francisco 15, Calif.
Casselman, Esther Mae	Floyd	219 E. St. Vrain, Colorado Springs, Colo.
Chase, Bertha M.	Augustus M.	1390 N. Marengo Ave., Pasadena, Calif.
Cook, Cora	George	Eagle, Colorado.
Cook, Mary E.	T. P.	225 Backus, Pasadena 10, Calif.
Cox, Edith J.	F. J.	1318 West 2nd Ave., St. Charles, Ill.
Crippen, Stella L.	A. M.	Pueblo, Colorado.
Curtis, Frances	Stanley A.	119 E. Willamette St., Pueblo, Colo.
De Motte, Myrtle	McKendree	Sterling, Nebraska.
Dickey, Kate A.	John M.	426 E. 22nd St., Baltimore, Md.
Dickson, Grace	Alvin R.	130 E. Kiowa St., Colorado Springs, Colo.
Dixon, Lillie E.	M. P.	0209 College St., Winfield, Kan.
Ellis, Inez Ruth	Geo. W.	1135 Hill St., Grand Junction, Colo.
Ewert, Mary Etta	A. L. T.	3632 Ramona Dr., Riverside, Calif.
Garcia, Susan B.	Seneca	1660 Madison St., Denver 6.
Gatley, Miriam P.	Wm. T.	Colonial Hotel, 640 Bush St., San Francisco.
Gordon, E. M.	E. M.	1330 High St., Denver 6.
Grace, Cornelia S.	Henry J.	2049 So. Columbine St., Denver 10, Colo.
Gruen, E.	Edward	1431 18th St., Boulder, Colorado.
Hancher, Elizabeth H.	Chas. W.	205 Chestnut Ave., Long Beach, Calif.
Hardon, Mattie H.	C. W.	2933 Fitzhugh, Ft. Worth, Texas.
Henry, Elodia P.	Arthur T.	901 Sunset Blvd., Temple City, Calif.
Hole, Cora B.	Louis J.	246 Pennsylvania St., Denver 9, Colo.
Hollenback, Eva S.	Frank R.	1048 Garfield St., Denver 6, Colo.
Huett, Emma A.	C. W.	537 W. 54th St., Los Angeles, Calif.
Huston, Ruth W.	John W.	10125 Kalmia, Pacolma, Calif.
Imboden, Jennie A.	F. W.	3239 Arrowhead St., San Bernardino, Calif.
John, Anna L.	William	1831 Pasadena Ave., Long Beach 6, Calif.
Johnson, Hattie B.	Jas. A.	464 E. Adams Blvd., Los Angeles 11, Calif.
Ketchum, Ariel	John H.	6418 W. 87th Place, Los Angeles 45, Calif.
Kirkendall, Elsie B.	Jay	3102 Dwight Way, Stockton 21, Calif.
Lace, Mary Ellen	John J.	684 So. Williams St., Denver 9, Colo.
Large, Lulu M.	James A.	1122 Diamond Ave., South Pasadena, Calif.
Maclean, Nellie A.	Angus M.	3252 Broadway, Kansas City 2, Mo.
Marston, Lenora E.	Herbert C.	c/o C. O. Vosburg, Buckeye, Ariz.
Martens, Elmira E.	Henry F.	3551 S. Bannock St., Englewood, Colo.
Martin, Nettie E.	Chas. L.	2529 A. W. Kilbourne, Milwaukee 3, Wis.
McDonald, Mary	James	604 Dallas, Artesia, N. M.
Money, Carrie	K. B.	1138 Kirkwood Blvd., Davenport, Iowa.
Morris, Gayle W.	Harry T.	Lausanne Hall, Willamette Univ., Salem, Ore.
Munger, Minnie G.	Alvan R.	210 Green St., Hoisington, Kan.
Rader, Emma B.	Jacob R.	6070 Rockbridge Blvd., Oakland 18, Calif.
Ragatz, Ruth H.	A. F.	2220 E. Mississippi Ave., Denver 10, Colo.
Read, Florence G.	Wm. B.	625 E. 20th, Long Beach 6, Calif.
Rose, Jeanette	John W.	1221 W. 11th, Topeka, Kans.
Scott, Myrtle	Delmonte	7182 Mohawk St., San Diego 5, Calif.
Simmons, Ella B.	C. W.	381 So. Logan St., Denver 9, Colo.
Smith, Ella S.	R. N.	Palisade, Colo.
Smith, Louisa E.	John A.	418 W. 5th, Julesburg, Colo.
Spence, Elizabeth K.	G. A.	Box 416, Rt. 2, Arvada, Colo.
Spencer, Grace A.	Arthur E.	417 Ivins Ave., Laramie, Wyo.
Steele, Lillian V.	Chas. B.	1417 Wells St., Port Huron, Mich.
Stuntz, Sally I.	Geo. H.	215 W. G St., Grants Pass, Ore.
Titmarsh, Bertha	Robert	102 So. Locust St., Chillicothe, Mo.
Tyre, Elvira	T. B.	200 E. Laurel, Ft. Collins, Colo.
Webber, Grace T.	Sherwood A.	735 So. Vine St., Denver 9, Colo.
Wright, Louise C.	Earl C.	Pfeiffer Hall, Cornell College, Mt. Vernon, Ia.
Zebold, Amanda	Christian C.	1470 Las Lunas, Pasadena 4, Calif.

X. ROLL OF THE DEAD

Members of the Conference

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NAME	BIRTH		DEATH	
	Date	Place	Date	Place
Geo. S. Phillips	Dec. 14, 1818	Pa.	Mar. 30, 1865	Ohio
Henry C. Waltz	June 5, 1843	Indiana	May 11, 1877	Quincy, Ill.
Robert W. Manly	Aug. 5, 1830	Ohio	July 15, 1833	Wenona, Ill.
John Wilson	May 6, 1843	Canada	Mar. 3, 1885	Denver
J. M. Klaiber	Aug. 13, 1831	Hauser, Ger.	Oct. 14, 1885	Denver
John Stocks	Feb. 5, 1829	England	Sept. 19, 1886	Bald Mountain
F. C. Millington	Mar. 18, 1841	New York	Dec. 27, 1887	Monte Vista
Benito Garcia	Mar. 21, 1846	New Mex.	Feb. 10, 1888	Denver
Christian C. Zebold	Jan. 6, 1856	Ohio	May 9, 1888	New Mexico
E. H. Kriege	Dec. 15, 1827	Lienen, Ger.	Feb. 4, 1889	Denver
Christoval Salazar	Nov. 3, 1845	New Mex.	Jan. 7, 1890	New Mexico
Edwin E. Allison	Mar. 3, 1857	Indiana	Nov. 9, 1892	Denver
William Plesed	Dec. 6, 1842	Canada	July 1, 1893	Trinidad
Henry C. King	July 20, 1848	N. Carolina	June 29, 1895	Denver
Edgar White	Sept. 15, 1861	England	July 9, 1895	Erie
John W. Linn	Aug. 13, 1855	Ontario, Can.	Sept. 2, 1896	Leadville
Benj. F. Todd	Oct. 13, 1833	New Jersey	Oct. 5, 1896	Castle Rock
Joel F. Smith	Nov. 4, 1863	Illinois	Oct. 6, 1896	Salida
Milton F. Sapp	Nov. 12, 1845	England	Aug. 15, 1897	Albany, Mo.
Charles H. Koyl	Mar. 15, 1855	Pa.	Apr. 17, 1898	Denver
Samuel A. Winsor	Oct. 23, 1856	Ohio	Oct. 7, 1898	Longmont
Daniel B. Vosseller	July 6, 1834	Rhode Island	Mar. 17, 1899	Montrose
Geo. B. F. Heune	April 2, 1870	Warsaw, Ill.	Nov. 9, 1900	Rockvale
John L. Dyer	Mar. 16, 1812	Columbus, O.	June 10, 1901	Univ Park
Daniel W. Burt	June 6, 1851	Ohio	July 27, 1902	Crockett, Tex.
William N. Simpson	Aug. 1, 1866	Illinois	Sept. 12, 1902	Rifle
Isaac H. Beardsley	Oct. 1, 1831	New York	Dec. 3, 1902	Los Angeles, Cal.
C. W. Cunningham	Nov. 7, 1873	Ohio	Mar. 19, 1904	Chicago, Ill.
Stewart C. Wright	Dec. 24, 1851	Canada	Oct. 14, 1904	Bowling Green, O.
Gillette C. Hillman	Aug. 20, 1869	Michigan	Oct. 3, 1905	Denver
Albert B. Glocker	Jan. 24, 1844	Indiana	July 23, 1906	Denver
John C. Gullette	Jan. 7, 1847	Indiana	July 27, 1906	Denver
John Whisler	Dec. 27, 1835	Ohio	Aug. 9, 1906	Leadville
John Alderson	Feb. 2, 1851	Iowa	Aug. 19, 1906	Williams, Ariz.
Kenneth Money	Apr. 10, 1870	Iowa	Feb. 10, 1907	Cisne, Ill.
Wilbur L. Decker	July 15, 1875	Michigan	Mar. 24, 1907	Denver
Charles W. Brewer	Apr. 8, 1835	Pa.	Apr. 17, 1907	Pueblo
Frederick Hausser	Feb. 8, 1839	Marbach, Ger.	Sept. 4, 1907	Denver
Oscar L. Fisher	Aug. 12, 1844	Illinois	Oct. 19, 1907	Denver
Arthur E. Spencer	May 5, 1871	Nebraska	Dec. 18, 1907	Greybull, Wyo.
Herbert Sheldon	Apr. 22, 1855	England	Nov. 7, 1908	Goodpasture
William John	Mar. 5, 1847	England	Apr. 6, 1910	Evans
Linville J. Hall	July 6, 1822	Mass.	Sept. 23, 1910	Springfield, Mass.
Henry J. Grace	Nov. 29, 1854	Ohio	Sept. 30, 1911	Brighton
Grant G. Giller	Apr. 16, 1882	Ohio	Dec. 4, 1911	Delta
Horace E. Warner	Mar. 1, 1855	New York	Dec. 15, 1911	Denver
E. F. A. Bittner	Jan. 1, 1851	Pa.	May 24, 1912	Medford, Ore.
Orlando S. Gard	Apr. 7, 1867	Illinois	Sept. 9, 1912	Lindsay, Cal.
James A. Johnson	Jan. 10, 1860	Indiana	Apr. 8, 1913	Los Angeles, Cal.
John H. Merritt	Oct. 3, 1836	Vermont	June 28, 1913	Boulder
Cary G. Coulter	June 30, 1868	Ohio	Sept. 14, 1913	Garden Gr., Cal.
Herschel D. Seckner	Sept. 6, 1852	New York	Sept. 25, 1913	Idaho Springs
George F. Brock	Apr. 15, 1862	Missouri	Feb. 28, 1914	Colorado Springs
Rezin M. Barns	Aug. 29, 1830	Ohio	June 21, 1914	Denver
Erastus G. Harbert	Feb. 28, 1855	W. Va.	July 13, 1914	Stockton, Cal.
Merrick A. Head	Mar. 8, 1845	Ohio	Feb. 25, 1915	Denver
Eugene H. Smith	Sept. 18, 1868	Iowa	June 22, 1915	Grand Junction
Howard Goldie	Oct. 25, 1875	Canada	July 11, 1915	Beulah
Arthur T. Henry	Jan. 13, 1867	Missouri	July 30, 1915	Colorado City
Charles B. Allen	Sept. 27, 1857	Indiana	Nov. 3, 1915	Denver
Robert Titmarsh		England	Mar. 22, 1916	Wheatridge
S. Edwin Grant	Apr. 18, 1865	Maryland	May 13, 1916	Denver
Robert L. Nuckolls	June 29, 1865	Kentucky	Aug. 21, 1916	Palisade
Hosaa L. Beardsley	June 11, 1838	New York	Oct. 25, 1916	Denver
Frank W. Imboden	Dec. 25, 1857	Illinois	Dec. 25, 1916	Pueblo
Thomas C. Iliff	Oct. 6, 1845	Ohio	Feb. 22, 1918	Denver
Louis J. Hole	Sept. 15, 1866	Ohio	Apr. 15, 1918	Denver
James F. Coffman	Jan. 26, 1842	Illinois	Sept. 16, 1918	Greeley
James McDonald	Aug. 13, 1878	Scotland	Nov. 14, 1918	Wiley

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	Date	Place	Date	Place
Clarence M. Fish	Mar. 8, 1885	Missouri	Dec. 2, 1918	Leadville
William B. Read	Dec. 22, 1872	Iowa	Dec. 15, 1918	Long Beach, Cal.
John W. Rose	Feb. 19, 1872	Illinois	Dec. 21, 1918	Dodge City, Kan.
Henry M. Mayo	Dec. 10, 1857	Illinois	Feb. 1, 1919	Denver
Alvan T. Munger	July 30, 1846	Kansas	Feb. 3, 1919	Montrose
Frost Craft	July 12, 1846	Indiana	Mar. 3, 1919	Denver
John M. Dickey	June 14, 1873	Maryland	July 9, 1919	Haxtun
Bethuel T. Vincent	Aug. 9, 1834	Alabama	July 30, 1920	Denver
Naaman Bascom	Nov. 10, 1844	Indiana	Mar. 15, 1921	St. Elmo, Ill.
Ammi B. Hyde	Mar. 13, 1826	New York	Mar. 23, 1921	Denver
Albert Hurstone		England	May 13, 1921	Denver
Sylvanus B. Warner	Aug. 4, 1850	New York	July 24, 1921	Glendale, Calif.
Geo. H. Adams	Dec. 9, 1836		Jan. 17, 1922	Phoenix, Ariz.
Robert H. Rhodes	Oct. 16, 1830	Indiana	Apr. 15, 1922	Denver
Lynderman Wright	Dec. 9, 1841	Pa.	July 11, 1922	Sawetelle, Calif.
James A. Large	Oct. 17, 1867	Illinois	Sept. 4, 1922	Alamosa
Edward Gruen	Sept. 15, 1866	Barmen, Ger.	Sept. 18, 1922	Boulder
Samuel W. Albone	Feb. 12, 1849	England	May 7, 1923	Denver
Gustavus A. Cage	Oct. 18, 1857	Tennessee	Sept. 15, 1923	Denver
William H. Greene	Nov. 2, 1845	Ohio	Dec. 1, 1923	New Orleans, La.
M. D. Hornbeck	Feb. 28, 1849	Ohio	Dec. 30, 1923	Denver
John Oliver	Oct. 9, 1854	England	May 30, 1924	Chicago, Ill.
McK. DeMotte	May 22, 1843	Illinois	June 2, 1924	Cedaredge
Henry A. Buchtel	Sept. 3, 1847	Ohio	Oct. 22, 1924	Denver
S. H. Kirkbride	Aug. 5, 1859	New York	Apr. 8, 1925	Chicago, Ill.
Charles W. Shaw	Dec. 11, 1836	Ohio	Nov. 1, 1925	Canon City
Reuben N. Smith	Jan. 28, 1866	N. Carolina	Dec. 3, 1925	Palisade
Nathan H. Lee	July 8, 1854	Indiana	Feb. 20, 1926	Colorado Springs
Ozra M. Bowman	Apr. 17, 1856	Iowa	Aug. 5, 1926	Springboro, Pa.
Geo. S. Parker	Apr. 13, 1857	Canada	Sept. 1, 1926	Raleigh, N. C.
David D. Forsyth	Mar. 5, 1864	Wisconsin	Nov. 8, 1926	Chicago, Ill.
Rob't. R. Sanderson	July 28, 1847	England	Jan. 11, 1927	Denver
John F. White	Dec. 19, 1861	England	Apr. 9, 1927	Arvada
Jacob R. Rader	June 17, 1856	Ohio	June 13, 1927	Denver
Geo. P. Avery	Dec. 25, 1852	New York	Jan. 31, 1928	Claremont, Cal.
Cyrus A. Brooks	Jan. 29, 1842	Ohio	Mar. 27, 1928	Denver
O. K. Maynard	Mar. 23, 1861	Iowa	May 18, 1928	Miami, Fla.
Arthur W. Rice	Jan. 23, 1864	New York	July 14, 1928	Las Animas
Albert J. Behner	Sept. 4, 1888	Illinois	Sept. 23, 1928	Denver
Angus M. Maclean	July 1, 1869	Scotland	Jan. 1, 1929	Greeley
C. H. W. Lauenstein	Dec. 29, 1848	Germany	July 31, 1929	Longmont
Theodore B. Tyre	June 7, 1869	Pa.	Aug. 18, 1929	Ft. Collins
S. A. Webber	July 3, 1863	Ohio	Sept. 16, 1930	Denver
R. S. Rutledge	July 31, 1854	Tennessee	May 14, 1931	Colorado Springs
J. W. Huston	Mar. 5, 1863	Indiana	Aug. 23, 1931	Pacoima, Calif.
W. E. Collett	Sept. 23, 1866	Ohio	Oct. 13, 1931	Arvada
John A. Smith	Jan. 25, 1881	England	Oct. 31, 1931	Windsor
Joseph G. Bonnell	Jan. 10, 1843	Ohio	Dec. 12, 1931	Dallas, Tex.
C. L. Martin	Oct. 13, 1872	Indiana	Apr. 3, 1932	Tucson, Ariz.
H. F. Knight	Mar. 19, 1850	Wisconsin	Apr. 6, 1932	New Plymouth, Id.
R. E. Bird	Mar. 10, 1863	Canada	May 30, 1932	Denver
John Collins	May 21, 1848	England	Sept. 13, 1932	Denver
Dean A. C. Peck	Nov. 14, 1858	Ohio	Nov. 7, 1932	Denver
W. D. Phifer	Apr. 18, 1856	Pittsburgh	Jan. 15, 1933	Denver
William T. Miller	May 15, 1859	Adelaide, Ont.	Oct. 10, 1933	Portland, Ore.
Edward S. Burr	Jan. 6, 1865	Durham, Ill.	Feb. 1, 1934	Del Norte, Colo.
Adelbert M. Crippen	Apr. 1, 1873	Michigan	Feb. 25, 1934	Fleming, Colo.
Walter D. Cole	Nov. 15, 1864	Wisconsin	Apr. 9, 1934	Greeley
Claudius B. Spencer	Oct. 20, 1856	Michigan	July 14, 1934	Kansas City, Mo.
Samuel Knupp	May 14, 1847	Pennsylvania	July 24, 1934	Clarence, Mo.
Jay Kirkendall	Mar. 1, 1866	Iowa	Dec. 22, 1934	Las Animas
William T. Gatley	Sept. 13, 1868	Cornwall, Eng.	May 5, 1935	Denver
John A. Davis	Nov. 13, 1856	Iowa	Aug. 18, 1935	Long Beach, Cal.
Chas. W. Huett	Feb. 5, 1864	Illinois	Aug. 26, 1935	Pasadena, Cal.
Verne P. Mitchell	Jan. 16, 1891	Illinois	Sept. 24, 1935	Ft. Collins
Gratton U. Balsley	Sept. 28, 1867	Mass.	Dec. 8, 1935	Clarksburg, W. Va.
Wilbur F. Steele	May 17, 1851	Wisconsin	Dec. 24, 1935	Denver
Thomas M. Harwood	Jan. 26, 1864	Dover, Del.	July 6, 1936	Denver
Wm. E. Bennett	June 22, 1872	Illinois	Mar. 10, 1937	Colorado Springs
Charles B. Steele	Dec. 12, 1857	Boston, Mass.	Mar. 28, 1937	Pt. Huron, Mich.
Jno. M. Bennington	July 6, 1859	Illinois	Apr. 20, 1937	Houston, Texas
David S. Jones	May 28, 1866		Aug. 27, 1937	Topeka, Indiana
Fred S. Harding			Nov. 4, 1937	Akron

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	Date	Place	Date	Place
Thomas P. Cook	May 18, 1848		Nov. 4, 1937	Sierra Madre, Cal.
Earl C. Wright	Apr. 15, 1888		Nov. 11, 1937	Monte Vista
Charles E. Harris	Jan. 26, 1870		Mar. 9, 1938	Manette, Wash.
Josiah Martin	Nov. 6, 1854		Apr. 21, 1938	Denver
Arthur W. Coffman	Oct. 22, 1852	Illinois	May 2, 1938	Loveland
Del Monte Scott		1876 Missouri	Feb. 4, 1939	San Diego, Cal.
Frank D. Slutz		1853 Ohio	Feb. 24, 1939	Dayton, Ohio
David T. Slipher	Dec. 6, 1874	Mulberry, Ind.	June 21, 1939	Westcliffe
E bridge M. Gordon	Mar. 13, 1891	MarineCy, Mch	Dec. 1, 1939	Denver
George H. Stuntz	Oct. 23, 1855	Albion, Penn.	Dec. 11, 1939	Las Animas
Forrest H. Rose	Oct. 15, 1876	Greensb'g Ind.	Dec. 25, 1939	Denver
Thomas J. Hamilton		1855		
Charles L. Mead				
Alvin R. Dickson	July 4, 1884	Pittsfield, Ill.	June 29, 1940	
Charles B. Wilcox	Nov. 24, 1851	Fox Lake, Wis.		Denver
John R. Wood		1856 Staten Is., N.Y.	Dec. 13, 1940	S'nta Barbara, Cal.
Emanuel L. Chiesa	Nov. 8, 1891	Genoa, Italy	Jan. 17, 1941	Denver
David Shaw Duncan	Oct. 14, 1876	Kilsyth, Scot.	Mar. 7, 1941	Denver
Charles W. Hancher		1867	Sept. 8, 1941	Weiser, Idaho
Frank R. Hollenback	Feb. 16, 1871	Minonk, Ill.	Apr. 7, 1942	Denver
Archie M. Carpenter			Dec. 13, 1942	Littleton
Francis L. Geyer	Sept. , 1875	Missouri		
George A. Spence	May 9, 1862	Lancaster, O.	Jan. 14, 1943	Denver
John H. Adams			Mar. 17, 1943	
James F. Harris		1849 Tennessee	Apr. 18, 1943	Pasadena, Cal.
Adolph Roedel			Aug. 4, 1943	Colorado Springs
William Brown		1887 England	Oct. 20, 1943	Ft. Morgan
M. P. Dixon			Apr. 9, 1944	Nickerson, Kan.
Arthur F. Ragatz	Mar. 2, 1875	Wisconsin	Feb. 2, 1945	Denver
Seneca B. Garcia		New Mexico	Apr. 12, 1945	Denver
John H. Ketchum	June 26, 1875	Foster, Ken.	May 10, 1945	Stirling
Lt. William H. Carlson			June 5, 1945	Okinawa
Floyd W. Casselman	Feb. 21, 1895	Glasco, Kan.		1945 Salida
Herbert C. Marston	Feb. 13, 1884	Lynn, Mass.	Aug. 21, 1945	Phoenix, Ariz.
Harry T. Morris		1899	Feb. 4, 1946	Denver
Augustus L. Chase	July 25, 1860	Olean, N. Y.	Feb. 15, 1946	Pasadena, Cal.
Henry F. Martens		Hamburg, Ger.	May 6, 1946	Englewood
Stanley A. Curtis	Apr. 8, 1890	Bristol, W. Va.	May 21, 1946	Evanston, Ill.
Albert L. T. Ewert		1853	July 6, 1946	Riverside, Cal.
Oliver E. Barker	Sept. 28, 1872	Mercer, Pa.	Nov. 26, 1946	Springer, New Mex
C. W. Hardon			Dec. 12, 1946	Dallas, Tex.
John H. Boner			Mar. 11, 1947	Colorado Springs
John J. Lacey	May 17, 1861	Isle of Man	Apr. 12, 1947	Denver
Chas. W. Simmons	Dec. 8, 1857	Brookville, Ia.		1947 Denver
Frederick J. Cox	July 27, 1891	Neg'nee, Mich	May 24, 1947	Denver
R. R. Adams	Sept. 17, 1871	Phila., Pa.	July 28, 1947	Denver
Wm. E. Blackstock		1878 Ontario, Can.		1948 Salt Lake City
G. W. Ellis	Dec. 1, 1885	Wanda, Mo.	April , 1948	Westcliffe

XI. BENEFACTORS

BENEFACTORS' MEMORIAL

In Grateful Recognition of the Benefits Accruing from Gifts, Bequests,
and Devises made in behalf of

Our Beneficiaries

—the Retired Ministers, Widows and Orphans of The Colorado
Annual Conference

THE METHODIST PENSION FUND, INC.

publishes the following beginning of a list of contributors to any of its
Funds, corrected yearly to the close of Conference:

Name	Amount	Name	Amount
Emma M. Johnstone	\$20,000.00	Hattie B. Johnson	1,746.00
Adolph Roedel	18,504.00	Wm. S. Grim	1,716.00
B. F. and Josephine		T. J. Hamilton	1,605.00
Ross	13,200.00	Naaman and Nancy	
Katharine V. Avery	9,568.00	Bascom	1,367.00
Linville and Lydia Hall	7,152.00	Memr. to Wm. H.	
T. C. and Mary R. Iliff	7,016.00	Greene	1,350.00
Arthur and Ida		Marquis and Lydia	
Morrison	6,000.00	Hornbeck	1,300.00
Wilbur F. and Rose W.		James F. White	1,204.00
Steele	5,412.00	Memorial to Dan Pike	1,100.00
L. B. and Florence B.		R. E. and Ella K. Bird	1,040.00
Longacre	5,000.00	W. S. and Cora V.	
John A. Clough	5,000.00	Corlett	1,016.00
C. B. Wilcox	4,597.00	Chas. and Cynthia	
J. F. Harris	3,500.00	Shaw	1,000.00
B. T. and M. Ella		Memr. to A. B. Hyde	
Vincent	3,500.00	(Marie H. Hyde)	1,000.00
Samuel Knupp	3,258.00	A. E. and Mrs. A. E.	
John Collins	3,225.00	Warren	1,000.00
Frances H. Douglass	3,000.00	A. F. and Ruth H.	
W. D. and Susette		Ragatz	1,000.00
Pfeiffer	2,815.00	Memr. to C. R.	
Wm. C. and Clara A.		Vandyne & Wife	600.00
Wasser	2,500.00	Memr. to Thomas A.	
Clara B. Mayo	2,300.00	Canady	500.00
McKendree and Myrtle		B. R. and Olive H.	
De Motte	2,071.00	Lawton	500.00
Fannie L. McCombe		J. C. Wilson Estate	500.00
Estate	2,061.66	Jennie M. Bradley	500.00
H. C. Elfeldt	2,000.00	James E. Patterson	400.00
Memr. to A. C.		C. M. Cooper	242.00
Cleveland	2,000.00	Maude V. Worts	200.00
Rose Biederman	2,000.00	Fletcher E. Brown	200.00
Chas B. and Mary L.			
Spencer	1,902.00		

Inquiries as to Form of Bequest, Gifts (on Annuity or otherwise)
or Contributions of any kind to this Fund, address Secretary L. G. Dawson,
312 Trinity Building, Denver, Colorado.

XII. MINUTES OF THE ANNUAL CORPORATION MEETING

(a.) Secretary's Annual Report, Methodist Pension Fund, Inc.

Wednesday Afternoon, June 17, 1948

Following Adjournment of the Conference, Wm. C. Wasser, President, convened the Methodist Pension Fund, Inc., in the Annual Corporation Session.

L. G. Dawson, presented the Financial Statement, and his Annual Report which carried two requests: (1) That interest realized from the investment of any new money accruing from the United Campaign last year be included in the allocation to the Conference Claimants for distribution during the year 1948-49; and, (2) That, all subsequent payments from the United Campaign to the Pension Fund be placed in the Permanent Fund for investment, and the income used to augment payments to Conference Claimants as is the usual procedure.

On motion these two requests were granted.

The report was approved as read.

L. G. Dawson, having been elected by the Board of Managers of the Pension Fund as Executive Secretary for the ensuing year, the Bishop was requested to appoint him to that office.

A ballot was taken for the election of two ministerial members and one layman of the Board of Managers for the Class of 1951. Nominations of the Board were:

Ministers—M. L. Jackson
L. B. Swan
Allan K. Williams
E. N. Edgerton
Laymen—H. E. Popham
H. E. Bolander

On motion the Corporation Meeting adjourned.

Report of the ballot for the Class of 1951, Board of Managers of the Methodist Pension Fund, Inc., was as follows:

Elected—M. L. Jackson, Allan K. Williams, H. E. Popham.
L. G. DAWSON, Secretary.

(b.) Financial Report of Methodist Pension Fund, Inc.—1947-48

METHODIST PENSION FUND, INC.

June 1, 1947, to May 31, 1948

Receipts		Disbursements	
Cash on Hand 6-1-47	\$ 21,580.29	New Loans this Year	\$159,316.26
Interest Earned	18,984.43	From Tax Sinking Fund	1,471.73
Advance Interest Paid	48.88	Salary of Secretary	
Principal Repaid	103,103.26	(Inc. W. T.)	2,950.00
U. S. Nat'l Bank Loan	3,000.00	Office Expense	295.00
Percentage Payments	3,664.56	U. S. Nat'l Bank Loan	
Assigned to Per. Fund	58.50	Repaid	3,000.00
Gifts to Fund	270.00	Annuities Paid	2,922.32
From United Campaign	36,917.40	Interest Expense	665.00
Tax Sinking Fund	1,388.18	Conf. Fund Beneficiaries	9,000.00
Demand Deposits	912.23	Jubilee Beneficiaries	1,307.48
Miscellaneous		Patron Beneficiaries	1,138.40
(Comm. etc.)	724.10	Demand Deposits Repaid	3,385.02
*Diff. in Bank Deposit	.01	Miscellaneous Expense	209.68
		Cash on Hand 5-31-48	4,915.35
		Cash Undeposited	175.00
Total	\$190,651.84	Total	\$190,651.84

Assets		Liabilities	
Loans in Force-----	\$390,191.64	Distributable Earnings, to	
Utah Ice & Storage Bond	1,000.00	Conference Claimants	
U. S. Bonds, Series F----	95.00	1948-49 Allocation---	\$ 9,600.00
Delayed Interest -----	231.45	Tax Sinking Fund-----	431.66
Cash on Hand 5-31-48--	5,090.35	Demand Deposits	
		Repayable -----	9,553.40
		Reserve Fund -----	41.93
		In Permanent Fund----	376,981.45
Total -----		Total -----	
\$396,612.83		\$396,612.83	
**Gross Interest Earned-----		.052	
Net Interest Earned-----		.043	

L. G. DAWSON, Secretary.

**The Annual C. P. A. Audit is on file in the Secretary's Office, 312 Trinity Building.

(c.) Report of Treasurer, Board of Conference Claimants, 1947-48

For the Year 1947-48

Receipts

Balance Undistributed, 1946-47-----	\$ 4,797.45
Received, Distributable 1947-48-----	51,432.24
Under Sec. 1628 -----	874.30

TOTAL ----- \$57,103.99

Expenditures (Actual)

1. On Basis of Service:		
To Preachers -----	\$32,381.50	
To Widows -----	17,370.33	
To Children -----	314.00	\$50,065.83
2. On Basis of Regular Relief:		
To Widows -----	121.00	121.00
3. On Basis of Emergency Relief:		
Necessitous -----	250.00	
Special Claimants -----	864.00	1,114.00
4. Expense of Board-----	211.63	211.63
5. Balance Undistributed 1947-48 -----		5,591.53

TOTAL ----- \$57,103.99

R. W. DRUMMOND, Treasurer.

(d.) Report of Board of Conference Claimants:

For Distribution During Year 1948-49

Years of Annuity Responsibility-----	2,861¾
Minimum Legal Conference Rate of \$22.00-----	\$62,958.00
Ministers' Necessitous Fund -----	1,000.00
Special Claimants -----	1,100.00
Stabilization Fund -----	2,500.00
Due to Clearing House-----	1,021.00

Total ----- \$68,597.00

What has been received on these Claims?

Balance from Last Year.....	\$ 5,591.53
Annual Conference Investments.....	9,600.00
Publishing House	3,404.42
Under Par. 1636	632.18
Under Par. 1628	953.60
Chartered Fund	65.00
Utah Mission	1,725.75
Love Feast Collection.....	16.80
From the Charges.....	40,196.60

Total \$62,185.88

Amount Apportioned to the Charges for the Support

of Conference Claimants for the Year 1948-49.....\$43,200.00

M. B. BEATTIE, President.

(e.) Report of Utah Mission to Conference Claimants:**For the Year 1947-48**

Corrine—Floyd Stephens	\$ 8.00
Ely, Nevada—J. H. Stewart	150.00
McGill, Nevada—J. H. Stewart	112.00
Midvale—H. M. Templin	70.00
Milford—Chas. Luscher	84.00
Ogden—D. Atwood Bird	200.00
Park City—W. Hillis	73.50
Price—Richard E. Halbert.....	231.00
Ruth, Nevada—J. H. Stewart.....	51.00
Salt Lake City:	
Centenary—Paul L. Robison	97.35
First—Laird V. Loveland	276.50
Grace—A. R. Dennis	91.00
Liberty Park—Edgar H. Hoffman	155.40
Tremonton—Floyd Stephens	126.00

TOTAL \$1,725.75

H. J. STERNS, Treasurer.

XIII. PASTORAL RECORD

(a.) Annuity Claimants

SOME IMPORTANT FACTS

The support of these claimants for any year depends upon what is given for Conference Claimants by the Conference during the year preceding. No moneys paid in during any year can be used for claimant annuities during that same year. This also applies to the proceeds from invested funds which are allocated to the "Claimant Fund."

Under General Conference legislation the Minimum Legal Conference rate for the Colorado Conference for this quadrennium, for the years spent within the bounds of this Conference, is twenty-two dollars (\$22.00) per annuity year. Men who have served for a time in other conferences are paid by the Colorado Conference Board of Claimants at the rate being paid by the Conferences in which they have served, and for the number of years spent in those Conferences, and reimbursement is made through the Clearing House in Chicago to this Conference. The years spent in Conferences within the Missouri Corporation are now cared for in similar manner.

Upon the death of any minister not on the retired list the annuity claim of his dependents begins at once.

A claim is liable to lawful reduction or to be legally disallowed at the end of any quarter.

The attention of Church Treasurers is called to the fact that a pro-rata check should be sent to the Conference Treasurer once each quarter bringing the total payments to Claimants up to the level of payments to pastor's salary, to bishop and to district superintendents. To leave the entire amount until the end of the Conference year is poor financing, and, in fact, jeopardizes the interests of those dependent upon these funds. All checks for Conference Claimants are to be sent to M. Allen Keith, Treasurer, Trinity Bldg., Denver 2, Colorado.

THE RETIRED GROUP—CAUSE FOR RETIREMENT

I. For disabilities before reaching 65 years of age:

Name	Date of Birth	Annuity, Years
Chestnutt, Jay L.	Aug. 4, 1890	21 $\frac{3}{4}$
Hills, Roy O.	Jan. 2, 1888	27
Kaub, Louis H.	Apr. 11, 1891	30 $\frac{1}{4}$
Keith, M. Allen	Feb. 6, 1885	33 $\frac{3}{4}$

II. Retirement optional under the law, they having reached the age of 65 or more years. Exempt from a yearly Conference vote upon their continuing in the retired relation:

Ahrens, H. F.	Griffin, P. D.	Morrison, Arthur
Auman, O. W.	Grim, Wm. S.	Mundell, C. S.
Bainbridge, J. T.	Habgood, M. T.	Payton, J. B.
Beckman, C. O.	Hall, A. W.	Pingree, H. M.
Brace, E. E.	Henderson, G. M.	Ross, B. F.
Brand, John	Horton, A. B.	Sager, F. C.
Bryans, Alex. C.	Inman, C. H.	Scott, W. T.
Butler, E. L.	Jordan, John	Spencer, P. M.
Cooper, C. M.	Kendall, D. E.	Stone, N. R.
Coulter, J. T.	Kephart, H. C.	Templin, H. M.
Dean, J. A.	King, O. C.	Tinney, Wm. E.
Dryden, L. C.	Kitchen, G. E.	Trammel, T. J.
Edgerton, E. N.	Kreuger, F. T.	Waller, W. J.
Edwards, F. E.	*Large, Ross	Waller, W. D.
Edwards, J. R.	Lawton, B. R.	Wasser, Wm. C.
Eldridge, John	Longacre, L. B.	Watson, J. V.
Elfeldt, H. C.	Miller, J. T.	Wentworth, Chas. E.
Fletcher, James	Morton, Ira A.	Winterbourne, John
Flynn, J. H.	Morris, H. R.	

* Annuity Disallowed.

STATEMENT OF PROSPECTIVE DISTRIBUTION—Retired Ministers

Colorado Conference, Year 1948-49—Annuity Rate, \$19.00

New Rule (Calculating Fractional Years: In this form, fractional years of service are counted as $\frac{1}{4}$, $\frac{1}{2}$ or $\frac{3}{4}$ of a year according to formula as provided in ¶1617, §2, h (1st Ed) or ¶1618, §2, i (2nd Ed.) Discipline 1944.

No.	Name	Total App'd	COLO.		OTHER		Total	¶1628	Total
		Yrs.	Yrs.	Ann'y	Yrs.	Ann'y			
1.	Ahrens, H. F.	35 $\frac{3}{4}$	35 $\frac{3}{4}$	679	...	...	679	...	...
2.	Auman, O. W.	24	23	437	1	25	462	...	...
3.	Bainbridge, James T.	44 $\frac{1}{2}$	44 $\frac{1}{2}$	846	...	...	846	...	...
4.	Beckman, C. O.	42 $\frac{3}{4}$	23 $\frac{3}{4}$	451	19	391	842	...	...
5.	Brace, Edwin E.	24 $\frac{3}{4}$	16 $\frac{3}{4}$	318	8	152	470	...	...
6.	Brand, John	23	23	437	...	...	437	...	...
7.	Bryans, Alexander L. Sr.	32 $\frac{1}{4}$	30 $\frac{1}{4}$	575	2	42	617	...	...
8.	Butler, Elmer L.	39 $\frac{3}{4}$	21 $\frac{3}{4}$	413	18	438	851	...	...
9.	Chestnutt, Jay L.	21 $\frac{3}{4}$	20 $\frac{3}{4}$	394	1	21	415	...	...
10.	Cooper, Charles M.	44	44	836	...	...	836	...	...
11.	Coulter, J. T.	31 $\frac{3}{4}$	31 $\frac{3}{4}$	603	...	...	603	...	...
12.	Dean, Jesse A.	33 $\frac{3}{4}$	22 $\frac{3}{4}$	432	11	259	691	...	...
13.	Dryden, L. C.	36 $\frac{3}{4}$	30 $\frac{3}{4}$	584	6	120	704	...	...
14.	Edgerton, E. N.	41 $\frac{3}{4}$	41 $\frac{3}{4}$	793	...	...	793	...	...
15.	Edwards, Fred Edward	37 $\frac{3}{4}$	32 $\frac{3}{4}$	622	5	135	757	...	...
16.	Edward, John R.	38 $\frac{3}{4}$	37 $\frac{3}{4}$	717	1	17	734	...	...
17.	Eldridge, John M.	34 $\frac{3}{4}$	29 $\frac{1}{4}$	556	5 $\frac{1}{2}$	138	694	...	...
18.	Elfeldt, H. C.	44	44	836	...	...	836	...	...
19.	Fletcher, James	25 $\frac{3}{4}$	25 $\frac{3}{4}$	489	...	...	489	...	...
20.	Flynn, John M.	31 $\frac{3}{4}$	31 $\frac{3}{4}$	603	...	...	603	...	...
21.	Griffin, P. D.	28 $\frac{3}{4}$	23 $\frac{3}{4}$	451	5	80	531	...	...
22.	Grim, W. S.	26	10	190	16	376	566	...	...
23.	Habgood, M. T.	34 $\frac{3}{4}$	26 $\frac{3}{4}$	508	8	144	652	...	...
24.	Hall, A. W.	34 $\frac{3}{4}$	34 $\frac{3}{4}$	660	...	...	660	...	...
25.	Hatfield, Chas. H.	25 $\frac{3}{4}$	25 $\frac{3}{4}$	489	...	...	489	...	...
26.	Henderson, G. M.	43 $\frac{1}{2}$	36 $\frac{3}{4}$	698	6 $\frac{3}{4}$	149	847	...	...
27.	Hills, R. O.	24 $\frac{3}{4}$	11	209	13 $\frac{3}{4}$	290	499	...	...
28.	Horton, A. B.	19 $\frac{3}{4}$	19 $\frac{3}{4}$	375	...	...	375	...	...
29.	Inman, C. H.	30 $\frac{3}{4}$	27 $\frac{3}{4}$	527	3	75	602	...	...
30.	Jorden, John	30 $\frac{1}{4}$	23 $\frac{3}{4}$	451	6 $\frac{1}{2}$	137	588	...	...
31.	Kaub, Louis H.	5	4	76	1	26	102	\$545.50	\$647.50
32.	Keith, M. Allen	33 $\frac{3}{4}$	33 $\frac{3}{4}$	641	...	...	641	...	...
33.	Kendall, D. E.	27	27	513	...	...	513	...	...
34.	Kephart, H. C.	39 $\frac{1}{4}$	34 $\frac{3}{4}$	660	4 $\frac{1}{2}$	99	759	...	...
35.	King, Orman C.	32 $\frac{3}{4}$	19	361	13 $\frac{3}{4}$	275	636	...	...
36.	Kitchen, George E.	44 $\frac{1}{4}$	44 $\frac{1}{4}$	841	...	...	841	...	...
37.	Kruger, F. T.	36	34	646	2	36	682	...	...
38.	Lawton, B. R.	27 $\frac{3}{4}$	27 $\frac{3}{4}$	527	...	...	527	...	...
39.	Longacre, L. B.	46 $\frac{1}{4}$	23 $\frac{3}{4}$	451	22 $\frac{1}{2}$	450	901	...	...
40.	Miller, J. T.	21 $\frac{3}{4}$	5	95	16 $\frac{3}{4}$	380	475	...	...
41.	Morris, H. R.	34 $\frac{3}{4}$	24 $\frac{3}{4}$	470	10	300	700	...	...
42.	Morrison, Arthur	28 $\frac{3}{4}$	28 $\frac{3}{4}$	546	...	...	546	...	...
43.	Morton, I. A.	36 $\frac{3}{4}$	20 $\frac{3}{4}$	394	16	332	726	...	...
44.	Mundell, Chas. S.	23 $\frac{3}{4}$	13 $\frac{3}{4}$	261	10	164	425	...	...
45.	Payton, J. B.	31 $\frac{1}{4}$	31 $\frac{1}{4}$	594	...	...	594	...	...
46.	Pingree, H. M.	36 $\frac{3}{4}$	30 $\frac{3}{4}$	584	6	120	704	...	...
47.	Ross, B. F.	31 $\frac{1}{4}$	31 $\frac{1}{4}$	594	...	...	594	...	...
48.	Sager, F. C.	35 $\frac{3}{4}$	27 $\frac{3}{4}$	527	8	181	708	...	...
49.	Scott, William T.	40 $\frac{1}{4}$	40 $\frac{1}{4}$	765	...	...	765	...	...
50.	Spencer, P. M.	23 $\frac{1}{2}$	17 $\frac{1}{2}$	333	6	132	465	...	...
51.	Stone, N. R.	34 $\frac{1}{2}$	34 $\frac{1}{2}$	656	...	...	656	...	...
52.	Templin, H. M.	38 $\frac{1}{4}$	38 $\frac{1}{4}$	727	...	...	727	...	...
53.	Tinney, Wm. E.	33 $\frac{3}{4}$	27 $\frac{3}{4}$	527	6	132	659	...	...
54.	Tramel, T. J.	23 $\frac{3}{4}$	22 $\frac{3}{4}$	432	1	20	452	...	...
55.	Waller, A. J.	43 $\frac{3}{4}$	29 $\frac{3}{4}$	565	14	350	915	...	...
56.	Waller, Wm. D.	41	41	779	...	...	779	...	...
57.	Wasser, Wm. C.	40 $\frac{3}{4}$	15 $\frac{3}{4}$	299	25	613	912	...	...
58.	Watson, James V.	12	12	228	...	...	228	...	...
59.	Wentworth, C. E.	34 $\frac{3}{4}$	16 $\frac{3}{4}$	318	18	431	749	...	...
60.	Winterbourne, John	23	15	285	8	176	461	...	...
		1,950 $\frac{1}{4}$	1,625 $\frac{1}{4}$	30,874	325	7,206	38,080	\$545.50	...

SPECIAL CONFERENCE CLAIMANTS

Annuity Rate Ministers \$12.00

Name of Claimant	Years	Annuity	Relief	Total
Ministers				
Johnson, Wm.	31	372	-----	372
Gibbons, A. W.	28	336	-----	336
Brownell, J. S.	19½	234	-----	234
Widows of Ministers				
Money, Mrs. Kenneth	-----	-----	121	121
TOTALS	-----	942	121	1063

STATEMENT OF PROSPECTIVE DISTRIBUTION—Widows

Colorado Conference, Year 1948-49—Annuity Rate \$13.30

NOTE: "Widow's Approved Years" are the Approved Years with husband and are multiplied by seventy per cent of the rate for Retired Ministers.

No.	Name	Widow's	COLO.		OTHER		Total	1948	Total
		App'd Yrs.	Yrs.	Ann'y	Yrs.	Ann'y			
1.	Allen, Charles B.	25¾	25¾	342	-----	-----	342	-----	-----
2.	Barker, Oliver E.	24¾	21¾	289	3	63	352	-----	-----
3.	Behner, A. J.	10	3	40	7	116	156	-----	-----
4.	Bennett, W. E.	36½	29½	392	7	123	515	-----	-----
5.	Bennington, J. M.	29	10	133	19	243	376	-----	-----
6.	Bittner, Ernest F.	9½	9½	126	-----	-----	126	-----	-----
7.	Blackstock, W. E.	40½	27	359	13½	236	595	-----	-----
8.	Bowman, O. M.	6¼	6¼	83	-----	-----	83	-----	-----
9.	Brown, Wm.	20	8¼	110	11¾	181	291	-----	-----
10.	Buchtel, H. A.	27	6	80	21	372	452	-----	-----
11.	Cage, G. A.	18¾	18¾	249	-----	-----	249	-----	-----
12.	Carpenter, A. M.	35¼	35¼	469	-----	-----	469	-----	-----
13.	Casselman, Floyd W.	17¼	17¼	229	-----	-----	229	-----	-----
14.	Cook, T. P.	34¾	34¾	462	-----	-----	462	-----	-----
15.	Cox, Fred, John	23¾	23¾	316	-----	-----	316	-----	-----
16.	Crippen, A. M.	32	32	426	-----	-----	426	-----	-----
17.	Curtis, S. A.	13	13	173	-----	-----	173	-----	-----
18.	DeMotte, McKendree*	3¾	3¾	50	-----	-----	50	-----	-----
19.	Dickey, John M.	12½	10½	140	2	28	168	-----	-----
20.	Dickson, A. R.	19¾	13¾	183	6	84	267	-----	-----
21.	Dixon, M. P.	11½	11½	153	-----	-----	153	-----	-----
22.	Ellis, George W.	28½	28½	379	-----	-----	379	-----	-----
23.	Ewert, Albert L. T.	9¼	7	93	2¼	27	120	-----	-----
24.	Garcia, Seneca B.	27¾	27¾	369	-----	-----	369	-----	-----
25.	Gatley, W. T.	35	35	466	-----	-----	466	-----	-----
26.	Gordon, E. M.	14½	14½	193	-----	-----	193	-----	-----
27.	Grace, Henry J.	8	8	106	-----	-----	106	-----	-----
28.	Gruen, Edward	18	18	239	-----	-----	239	-----	-----
29.	Hancher, C. W.	36¼	36¼	482	-----	-----	482	-----	-----
30.	Hardon, Cotesworth W.	2	2	27	-----	-----	27	\$408.10	\$435.10
31.	Henry, Arthur T.	17½	17½	233	-----	-----	233	-----	-----
32.	Hole, Louis J.	22¾	22¾	303	-----	-----	303	-----	-----
33.	Hollenback, Frank R.	38¾	38¾	515	-----	-----	515	-----	-----
34.	Huett, C. W.	32¼	24¼	323	8	100	423	-----	-----
35.	Imboden, Franklin W.	22	14¼	190	7¾	92	282	-----	-----
36.	John, William	13½	13½	180	-----	-----	180	-----	-----
37.	Johnson, James A.	23¾	6¾	90	17	214	304	-----	-----
38.	Ketchum, J. H.	30¾	30¾	409	-----	-----	409	-----	-----
39.	Kirkendall, Jay	36¾	¼	3	36½	562	565	-----	-----
40.	Lace, John James	2¾	2¾	37	-----	-----	37	-----	-----
41.	Large, James A.	23	13	173	10	112	285	-----	-----
42.	McDonald, James	5¼	5¼	70	-----	-----	70	-----	-----
43.	MacLean, A. M.	22¾	22¾	303	-----	-----	303	-----	-----
44.	Marston, Herbert C.	23½	23½	313	-----	-----	313	-----	-----
45.	Martens, Henry F.	30¾	30¾	409	-----	-----	409	-----	-----
46.	Martin, Charles L.	8	6	80	2	28	108	-----	-----
47.	Morris, Harry T.	21½	21½	286	-----	-----	286	-----	-----
48.	Munger, Alvan	3¾	3¾	50	-----	-----	50	-----	-----
49.	Rader, Jacob R.	20¼	20¼	269	-----	-----	269	-----	-----
50.	Ragatz, A. F.	3	3	40	-----	-----	40	-----	-----
51.	Read, William B.	7½	7½	100	-----	-----	100	-----	-----
52.	Rose, John W.	7¼	7¼	96	-----	-----	96	-----	-----

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53. Scott, Delmont M.	25 $\frac{3}{4}$	25 $\frac{3}{4}$	243	..	..	342	
54. Simmons, Chas. W.	19 $\frac{1}{4}$	19 $\frac{1}{4}$	256			256	
55. Smith, John A.	20	10 $\frac{1}{4}$	136	9 $\frac{3}{4}$	171	307	
56. Smith, R. N.	17	17	226	.....	.....	226	.....
57. Spence, George A.	17 $\frac{1}{2}$	15	200	2 $\frac{1}{2}$	44	244	.....
58. Spencer, Arthur E.*	1	1	13	.....	.....	13	.....
59. Steele, Chas. B.	35 $\frac{1}{2}$	11	146	24 $\frac{1}{2}$	463	609	.....
60. Stuntz, G. H.	5 $\frac{1}{4}$	5 $\frac{3}{4}$	76	.....	.....	76	.....
61. Titmarsh, Robert	16 $\frac{1}{2}$	8 $\frac{1}{2}$	113	8	123	236	.....
62. Tyre, T. B.	22	22	293	.....	.....	293	.....
63. Webber, S. A.	25	25	333	.....	.....	333	.....
64. Wright, Earl C.	22	21	279	1	14	293	.....
65. Zebold, Christian C.*	1 $\frac{3}{4}$	1 $\frac{3}{4}$	23	.....	.....	23	.....
	1,277	1,057 $\frac{1}{2}$	14,066	219 $\frac{1}{2}$	3,396	17,249	\$408.10

STATEMENT OF PROSPECTIVE DISTRIBUTION—Children

Colorado Conference, Year 1948-49—Annuity Rate \$4.75

NOTE: "Father's Approved Years" are the total number of Father's Approved Years and are multiplied by one fourth of the rate for Retired Ministers.

No.	Name of Mother Guardian	Name of Child	Age	Father's App'd Yrs.	COLO. Yrs. An.	Other Yrs. An.	Tot. An.
1.	Casselman, Mrs. Floyd W.,	Jo Anne	16	17 $\frac{1}{4}$	17 $\frac{1}{4}$	82	82
2.	Casselman, Mrs. Floyd W.,	Mary Lewis	13	17 $\frac{1}{4}$	17 $\frac{1}{4}$	82	82
2.	Casselman, Mrs. Floyd W.,	Mary Lewis	13	17 $\frac{1}{4}$	17 $\frac{1}{4}$	82	82
3.	Becker, Mrs. Wm. G.,	Robert Chiesa	17	20 $\frac{1}{4}$	14 $\frac{1}{4}$	68	98
4.	Gordon, Mrs. E. M.,	Raymond Lenord	13	14 $\frac{1}{2}$	14 $\frac{1}{2}$	69	69
				69 $\frac{1}{4}$	63 $\frac{1}{4}$	301	331

XIV. MISCELLANEOUS

(a.) The Board of Ministerial Training and Qualifications

INFORMATION ON THE COURSE OF STUDY

1. The Course of Study to be followed during the Conference Year of 1948-49 will be that in effect during the quadrennium 1944-48. It is printed below together with the names of examiners. (A new course of study for the 1948-1952 quadrennium has been announced and will appear in the 1948 Discipline. However, printed instructions for the use of this new course are not yet available; therefore, we shall follow the old course during the present conference year.)

2. Instructions concerning the required work on the various books will be found in "The Student's Handbook" published by The Methodist Publishing House.

3. Those in the course of study should send their written work directly to the examiner on a given book. Arrangements for taking examinations should be made by the student with the examiner. It is suggested that the student secure the cooperation of a neighboring minister to whom the questions may be sent, and who will supervise the examination.

4. Inquiries concerning the course of study may be addressed to either the chairman or the registrar of the Board of Ministerial Training and Qualifications.

Chairman—Harvey H. Pothoff, 650 Colorado Blvd., Denver.

Registrar—Alexander C. Bryans, Jr., 2222 So. Columbine St., Denver.

THE COURSE OF STUDY

(Names of Examiners Are Given in Parentheses)

STUDIES FOR LICENSE TO PREACH

1. Lankard, The Bible Speaks to Our Generation. (George Berry)
2. Lewis, A Manual of Christian Beliefs. (Harvey H. Pothoff)
3. Brown, The Art of Preaching. (Alfred Carlyon)
4. Doctrines and Discipline of the Methodist Church. (K. H. Sausaman)

STUDIES FOR ADMISSION ON TRIAL

1. Lewis, A Manual of Christian Beliefs. (Harvey H. Pothoff)
2. Hewitt, Highland Shepherds. (J. Richard Palmer)
3. Brown, The Art of Preaching. (Alfred Carlyon)
4. Luccock and Hutchinson, The Story of Methodism. (J. Richard Palmer)
5. Lankard, The Bible Speaks to Our Generation. (George Berry)
6. Brown, The New Order in the Church. (B. H. Christner)

FIRST YEAR

Books for Examination—

1. Abingdon Bible Commentary, General Articles. (George Berry)
2. A Guide for Bible Readers (Rall, ed.) Williams, The Books of the Law. Shroyer, The Synoptic Gospels. (Allan K. Williams)
3. Branscomb, The Teachings of Jesus. (Otto C. Dömer)
4. Nagler, The Church in History (R. Jay Wilson)
5. Doctrines and Discipline of the Methodist Church. (K. H. Sausaman)

For Collateral Study—

1. Kern, Methodism Has A Message! (W. R. Burnett)
2. Fosdick, On Being A Real Person. (Alexander Bryans)
3. McKeown, Achieving Results In Church Finance. (R. Jay Wilson)
4. Smith, The Church In Our Town. (L. C. Dryden)
5. Anderson, Pastor and Church, Part I. (L. C. Dryden)

SECOND YEAR

1. Abingdon Bible Commentary, Old Testament Articles. (George Berry)
2. A Guide for Bible Readers (Rall, editor). Hicks, The Books of Paul. (Allan K. Williams)
3. Pratt, The Religious Consciousness. (Lowell Swan)
4. Soper, The Religious of Mankind. (J. Richard Palmer)
5. Luccock, In the Minister's Workshop. (Alfred Carlyon)
1. Anderson, Protestantism—A Symposium. (Alfred Carlyon)
2. Sweet, Methodism in American History. (Otto C. Domer)
3. Bonnell, Pastoral Psychiatry. (Lowell Swan)
4. Beaven, The Local Church. (B. H. Christner)
5. Anderson, Pastor and Church, Part II. (L. C. Dryden)

THIRD YEAR

1. Abingdon Bible Commentary, New Testament Articles. (W. R. Burnett)
2. A Guide for Bible Readers (Rall, ed). Chanter, The Prophets. Blair, Acts and Apocalyptic Literature. (Alexander Bryans)
3. Rall, Christianity. (Allan K. Williams)
4. Brightman, An Introduction to Philosophy. (Harvey H. Pothoff)
5. Harner, The Educational Work of the Church. (Paul Habliston)
6. Lindhorst, The Minister Teaches Religion. (Paul Habliston)
1. Craig, The Beginning of Christianity. (George Berry)
2. Oman, Concerning the Ministry. (Kenneth H. Sausaman)
3. Welch, Selections From the Writings of John Wesley. (L. C. Dryden)
4. Palmer, The Art of Conducting Public Worship. (A. P. Gaines)
5. Religion in Life. (B. H. Christner)

FOURTH YEAR

1. A Guide for Bible Readers. Leslie, Poetry and Wisdom. Quimby, The Fourth Gospel. (Alexander Bryans)
2. Lewis, God and Ourselves. (H. H. Pothoff)
3. Knudson, The Principles of Christian Ethics (A. P. Gaines)
4. Fosdick, A Guide to Understanding the Bible. (Alexander Bryans)
5. Rall, According to Paul. (Allan K. Williams)
1. Bennett, Social Salvation. (K. H. Sausaman)
2. Latourette, Anno Domini. (R. Jay Wilson)
3. McConnell, John Wesley. (W. R. Burnett)
4. Hutchinson, From Victory to Peace. (George Berry)
5. Religion in Life. (George Berry)

ALTERNATE COURSE FOR ACCEPTED SUPPLIES, 1944-1948

(The Studies for License to Preach and for Admission On Trial are the same as in the Conference Course Study outlined above.)

FIRST YEAR

1. Abingdon Bible Commentary, General Articles. (George Berry)
2. A Guide for Bible Readers (Rall, ed.). Williams, The Books of the Law. Shroyer, The Synoptic Gospels. (Allan K. Williams)
3. Bainton, The Church of Our Fathers. (O. C. Domer)
4. Branscomb, The Message of Jesus. (O. C. Domer)
5. Doctrines and Discipline of the Methodist Church. (K. H. Sausaman)
1. Kern, Methodism Has A Message! (W. R. Burnett)
2. Fosdick, On Being A Real Person. (Alexander Bryans)
3. Smith, The Church in Our Town. (L. C. Dryden)
4. Anderson, Pastor and Church, Part I. (L. C. Dryden)

SECOND YEAR

1. Abingdon Bible Commentary, Old Testament Articles. (George Berry)
2. A Guide for Bible Readers (Rall, editor. Hicks, The Books of History. Barnett, The Letters of Paul. (Allan K. Williams)
3. Luccock, In the Minister's Work-Shop. (Alfred Carlyon)
4. Beaven, The Local Church. (B. H. Christner)
5. Van Dusen, For the Healing of the Nations. (K. H. Sausaman)
1. Bonnell, Pastoral Psychiatry. (Lowell Swan)
2. McKeown, Achieving Results in Church Finance. (R Jay Wilson)
3. Blackwood, Evangelism in the Home Church. (J. Richard Palmer)
4. Anderson, Pastor and Church, Part II. (L. C. Dryden)

THIRD YEAR

1. Abingdon Bible Commentary, New Testament Articles. (W. R. Burnett)
2. A Guide for Bible Readers (Rall, ed.). Chanter, The Prophets. Blair, Acts and Apocalyptic Literature. (Alexander Bryans)
3. Rall, A Faith for Today. (H. H. Potthoff)
4. Harner, The Educational Work of the Church. (Paul Habliston)
5. Lindhorst, The Minister Teaches Religion. (Paul Habliston)
1. Oman, Concerning the Ministry. (K. H. Sausaman)
2. Palmer, Come, Let Us Worship. (Alfred Carlyon)
3. Anderson, The Minister and Human Relations. (R Jay Wilson)
4. The Christian Advocate. (W. R. Burnett)

FOURTH YEAR

1. A Guide for Bible Readers (Rall, ed.). Leslie, Poetry and Wisdom. Knox, The Fourth Gospel. (Alexander Bryans)
2. Fosdick, The Three Meanings. (K. H. Sausaman)
3. Blackwood, Planning A Year's Pulpit Work. (H. H. Potthoff)
4. Stewart, A Man in Christ. (O. C. Domer)
1. Latourette, Anno Domino. (R Jay Wilson)
2. Hutchinson, From Victory to Peace. (George Berry)
3. Welch, Selections From the Writings of John Wesley. (L. C. Dryden)
4. The Christian Advocate. (W. R. Burnett)

(b.) Conference Rules of Order and Procedure

1. The President shall decide all questions of order, subject to an appeal to the Conference. In case of such appeal the question shall be taken without debate, except that the President may state the grounds for his decision, and the appellent may state the grounds of his appeal.

2. The President shall appoint all committees, unless otherwise especially ordered by the Conference.

3. On assigning the floor to any member of the Conference, the President shall distinctly announce the name of the member to whom it is assigned.

4. No member shall absent himself from the sessions of the Conference without leave unless he be unable to attend.

5. When any member is about to speak in debate or deliver any matter to the Conference, he shall arise and respectfully address the President, but shall not proceed until recognized by him.

6. No member shall be interrupted when speaking, except by the President to call him to order when he departs from the questions, or abuses personalities or uses disgraceful language; but any member may call the attention of the President to the subject when he deems a speaker out of order, and any member may explain when he thinks himself misrepresented.

7. When a member desires to speak to a question of privilege he shall briefly state the question; but it shall not be in order for him to proceed until the President shall have decided it a privileged question.

8. No person shall speak more than twice on the same question, nor more than ten minutes at one time, without leave of the Conference; nor shall any person speak more than once until every member choosing to speak shall have spoken; provided, however, that a committee making a report shall through its chairman, or one of its members selected by the committee or its chairman, in all cases be entitled to ten minutes to close the debate; either to oppose the motion, to lay the report on the table, or his permission not having been used, to close the debate on the motion to adopt.

9. Resolutions shall be written and presented in duplicate by the mover. All motions shall be reduced to writing if the President, Secretary, or any member requests it.

10. All written motions, reports and communications to the Conference shall be passed to the Secretary, to be by him read to the Conference.

11. When a motion is made and seconded or a resolution introduced or seconded, or a report presented and read by the Secretary, or stated by the President, it shall be deemed in possession of the Conference.

12. The following motions shall be taken without debate:

- (1) To adjourn.
- (2) To suspend the rules.
- (3) To lay on the table.
- (4) To take from the table.
- (5) To raise the question of consideration.
- (6) Call for the previous question.
- (7) To reconsider a non-debatable motion.

13. No new motion or resolution shall be entertained until the one under consideration has been disposed of, which may be done by adoption or rejection but one or more of the following motions may be made, and they shall have precedence in the order in which they are given, namely:

- (1) To fix the time at which the Conference shall adjourn.
- (2) To adjourn.
- (3) To take a recess.
- (4) To lay on the table.
- (5) To order the previous question (cannot be laid on the table).
- (6) To postpone to a given time.
- (7) To refer.
- (8) To substitute.
- (9) To amend.
- (10) To postpone indefinitely

14. Only one amendment to an amendment shall be in order, but then it shall be in order to move a substitute for the main question and one amendment to the substitute, and if a substitute is accepted it shall replace the original amendment.

15. It shall be in order to move the previous question—that is, that the question be taken without further debate—on any measure pending, except in cases in which character is involved; and if sustained by a vote of two-thirds the question shall be taken; nevertheless it shall be in order under this rule to move to refer or to recommit (on either of which the vote shall be taken without debate); to divide or to lay on the table, after the previous question or to move to lay on the table at the close of a speech in which the pending question has been discussed.

16. The motion to adjourn shall be taken without debate, and shall always be in order, except

- (1) When a member has the floor.
- (2) When a question is actually put, or a vote is being taken or until decided.
- (3) When the question is pending on sustaining the demand for the previous question.
- (4) When the previous question has been called and sustained, and action under it is still pending and

- (5) When a motion to adjourn has been negatived; and no business or debate has intervened.

17. When any motion or resolution shall have been acted upon by the Conference, it shall be in order for any member who voted with the prevailing side to move a reconsideration; but a motion to reconsider a non-debatable motion shall be decided without debate.

18. Every member who is within the bar at the time a question is put shall vote, unless the Conference for special reasons, excuses him. No member shall be allowed to vote on any question who is not within the bar at the time when such question shall be put by the President, except by leave of the Conference, when such member has been necessarily absent.

19. It shall be in order for any member to call for the ayes and noes on any question before the Conference, and if the call be sustained by forty members present, the vote thereon shall be taken by ayes and noes.

20. These rules may be suspended at any time by a vote of two-thirds of the members present and voting.

(c.) Supplies and Local Preachers: See Appointments and General Directory

(d.) Articles of Incorporation

**AFFIDAVIT FOR CHARTER OF THE COLORADO CONFERENCE
OF THE METHODIST CHURCH**

I do solemnly swear that at a meeting of the Board of Trustees of the Colorado Annual Conference of the Methodist Episcopal Church held at the City and County of Denver, in the State of Colorado, on the 3rd day of March, 1944, the following persons, to wit:

Edgar M. Wahlberg
F. E. Edwards
R Jay Wilson
H. E. Barnes
Lewis A. Dick
L. M. Gjerde

being present and being specifically authorized by motion adopted at the regular session of the Colorado Conference held in Colorado Springs, Colorado, June 18, 1942, voted to form a corporation under the name "The Colorado Conference of the Methodist Church"; and that at said meeting this affiant acted as secretary.

That it was further moved and carried by said Trustees that said corporation shall have the power to acquire in any manner whatsoever, and to hold, real and personal property, and sell, convey, and dispose of the same in such manner and form as the Trustees of said corporation shall think proper and not inconsistent with the laws of the State of Colorado and not inconsistent with the rules and regulations of The Methodist Church as set forth in the Book of Discipline of said Church.

That it was further moved and carried by the Trustees that the said corporation shall have power to make all kinds of contracts, to borrow money, execute notes and other evidences of indebtedness and secure the same by mortgage or deed of trust, according to the discretion of the Trustees of said corporation, and shall also be permitted to exercise all powers conferred upon such corporation or corporations by the statutes of the State of Colorado.

That it was further moved and carried that the corporation shall have the right to make and adopt such prudential by-laws as may be deemed necessary.

(Signed)

L. M. GJERDE, Secretary.

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